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# KIEL IS TARGET FOR THOUSANDS OF BOMBS SHOWERED FROM SKY

## Royal Air Force Drops Hundreds of Tons of Explosive and Countless Incendiary Missiles on Cradle of Many German Submarines—Scattered Raids Over England

LONDON, April 9 (Wednesday) (CP)—The British Ministry of Information announced today that British bombers again smashed at the German naval base at Kiel during the night.

LONDON, April 8 (CP)—The Air Ministry announced tonight that the Royal Air Force rained "the heaviest load of bombs ever dropped on Germany in a single night" in last night's blow at Kiel, cradle of many of the submarines ravaging the Empire's shipping lanes.

Hundreds of tons of high explosives and more than 30,000 incendiaries were rained on the German port and submarine building yards the Air Ministry News Service said in detailing a heavy blow against warships which have helped to arrest British and British-controlled shipping losses to a fraction of nearly 150,000 tons during two of the last five weeks.

For five hours the news service said, wave after wave of British bombers pounded Kiel, leaving glowing skeins of warehouses on the waterfront and huge buildings "wholly enveloped in flames."

## KIEL BURNING MASS

One returning pilot reported the only way to have put out the fires would have been to push the whole place into the sea.

Hess's anti-craft fire met the first attack, but subsequently the pilots said, there were significant lulls.

Pilots started by the first waves guided subsequent bombers like a beacon from out to sea as far as Heiligoland, about 100 miles distant.

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# TWO PERISH IN EDMONTON FIRE

## Three Others Injured—Two Persons Escape by Jumping Into Life-Net

EDMONTON, April 8 (CP)—Two persons died and three others were hurt, one seriously in a fire of unknown origin which caused damage estimated unofficially at $15,000 to $18,000 in the Castleton Block here today.

Two other persons, their names not known, escaped by jumping into a life-net and several others aided by firemen, clambered down ladders to safety.

The dead: James B. Moore, lorry-hand, and Mrs. Frances Pollock, lady.

The injured: Mrs. Sarah Kelly (ill), severe burns and body injuries from jumping twice into a life-net; landlord, critical condition, Miss Sally Kelly, eighteen, four daughters, minor injuries, and Miss Julia Semeza, thirty-two, sprained left ankle from a jump to the skylight.

Moore, a veteran of the first Great War, perished in his attic room and flame-filled room after he had fled from the window while firemen were yelling at him to hang to the window-sill until they could raise a ladder to aid him.

Detective William McDonald coroner's officer and Mrs. Pollock mail packer died in a hotel ambulance after she was neither burned nor suffocated. The fire started in the attic and raced up the stairs to the third storey of the three-floor brick building built in 1912.

# *Many Planes Bagged Over North Africa*

CAIRO, April 8 (AP)—British and Australian airmen are waging ceaseless warfare in North Africa to cover the "strange concentration of Axis forces in new positions in Eastern Libya, a Royal Air Force communique reported tonight.

They came down fourteen opposing planes, believed to be German, in one day alone a communique said, and another day in the air and on the ground they shot down four. On neither day did they suffer any losses themselves, the communique reported.

Bombers and flighting craft have "attacked enemy motor transport and troop concentrations ceaselessly," the communique declared.

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# LONDON HAS LITTLE NEWS

## British Communiques From Greece Deal Only With War in Air

LONDON April 8 (CP)—British communiques, as in the case of Axis claims of Balkan successes, while spokesmen indicated that Yugoslavia, present objective of the German drive into Greece, may not face the importance now that it had in the first Great War.

This comment was taken by some observers to indicate that British Greek forces may make their main stand against the Nazis as ascertained thence behind the Vardar River. Salonika has been the German destination point of the Imperial Expeditionary Force in the Balkans.

## LITTLE OFFICIAL NEWS

The only official news of the Balkan warfare came from Greek communiques. Yugoslavia, so far, have not issued any announcements of their own as ascertained. There is no evidence that the British forces have yet met the Germans. Simultaneously, the only British communiques from Greece as of have dealt with the air war.

British military sources conceded that Germany has captured Skoplje Yugoslavia, the situation in Yugoslavia might be unfavorable.

These sources said that if Skoplje is not in the hands of Yugoslav Vardar route of conquest had fallen as the Nazis claimed, they made a good as another's as to the Allied defence plans.

## YUGOSLAVS OUTNUMBERED

The same sources said that initial German successes in Yugoslavia are "possible because the Yugoslavs are only are outnumbered but are inadequately equipped, yet unable to provide themselves with effective anti-aircraft.

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# MEXICO WILL USE AXIS FREIGHTERS

## Presidents Names Decree Expropriating Two Italian, One German Ships

MEXICO CITY, April 8 (AP)—President Avila Camacho issued a decree today expropriating three German and Italian merchant ships in Mexican harbors, it was announced by Tampico and Vera Cruz.

The President ordered the Ministry of the Navy to place crews aboard the two Italian and two German ships immediately in that Mexico could use them in the coastwise and international trade without delay.

Under the decree, settlement of claims against the expropriated vessels is deferred until the end of the European war.

# Minister Warns of New Regulations for Excess Profits Tax

## Act to Be Made More Workable With Discrimination and Extreme Hardship Removed by Amendments—Statement Removes Uncertainties

OTTAWA, April 8 (CP)—With a stern warning against attempts to evade the excess profits tax by making unjustifiable expenditures to eat up profits, Finance Minister Ilsley today gave the business community of Canada notice of amendments to the Excess Profits Tax Act which will apply to 1940 profits.

The amendments are designed, he said, to make the act more workable and to remove discriminations and extreme hardship. They do not change the essential character of the measure which imposes a levy of 75 per cent on all profits earned in excess of a pre-war normal or standard.

The minister made his statement in advance of the budget in order to remove uncertainties in the minds of taxpayers and enable them to make the returns they are required to make before the end of this month.

He also intimated other amendments to the act would come in the

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# Ships Set Afire Off Costa Rica

Three pictures were made from an airplane over the harbor of Puntarenas, Costa Rica, by the Italian motor liner Fella (bottom), and the German freighter Eisenach (top) burned fiercely. Both ships were pronounced a total loss, and the 120 seamen and officers were jailed on port charges. The vessels were are afire after the United States took over Axis and Danish ships in American ports.

# Yugoslavs Claim German Attacks All Beaten Back

## Most of Belgrade Turned to Ruins by Enemy Aerial Bombardment—Little Known of Outcome of Fighting in Adriatic Kingdom—Nazis Report Capture of Two Key Centres

LONDON, April 8 (CP)—The Yugoslav Government broadcast a communique tonight saying that "on all fronts the situation is in our favor." At the same time, the radio reported that a "great part of Belgrade has been turned into ruins" by Nazi air attacks.

The text of the radio communique:

"On all fronts the situation is in our favor. Enemy attacks have been repulsed with the greatest vigor. This is even admitted by the enemy wireless station.

"Heavy losses have been inflicted on the enemy.

"Our air force achieved special distinction in encounters with the enemy.

"The announcement of aerial damage on Belgrade was as follows:

## MANY INNOCENT VICTIMS

"On Sunday morning the capital of Yugoslavia was attacked ruthlessly by enemy planes, causing many innocent victims.

"A great part of Belgrade has been turned into ruins.

"Heroic and masterful Belgrade in defence of the national freedom and honor was the first victim of the unexpected and unprovoked attack."

A broadcast by the Croat leader Vladimir Macek from Zagreb as distributed by the Yugoslav Ministry of Information, appealed for "complete discipline" and went on:

"You always listened to me in all anxious hours and I am sure you

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# SAYS BRITISH TROOPS READY

## Radio Commentator Reports Forces Massed South-west of Salonika

NEW YORK, April 8 (CP)—ACBS broadcast from Ankara tonight reported that between 40,000 and 60,000 British infantry and mechanized troops have been sent into positions to face the German attack in the north of Greece.

The CBS correspondent in Ankara, Winston Burdette said Greek circles there believed no British troops have yet entered into combat with the enemy.

Burdette said most of the British troops were massed in and around Kalerine, southwest of Salonika, "in the second line of defence when the Germans began their attacks Palm Sunday."

The troops were apparently held there in order to see either north or east the emergency in German movements might require, Burdette was quoted as saying. The emergency may also belong rapidly.

He said the most reliable estimate set the number of British troops in Greece at from 40,000 to 60,000.

The correspondent added that a counter-attack to smash the pocket apparently by the Nazis in the Greek line defending Salonika may be made within the next thirty-six to forty-eight hours.

"If positive and strategic permit British mechanized forces may be called into action," he said.

# FLYING CROSS IS AWARDED AIRMEN

## Canadian and Jamaican Honored For Collusive and Devotion To Duty

LONDON April 8 (CP)—Two airmen of the Royal Air Force, one of them from Western Canada and the other from Jamaica, have been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross "for gallantry and devotion to duty in the execution of air operations," the Air Ministry announced today.

The airmen were Flying Officer Kenneth Crapin Dundas son of Mrs. Dundas of Montreal and Pilot Back and Flight-Lieutenant Cecil Gordon Robinson, twenty-seven, a native of Jamaica. Dundas attended the No. 21 Squadron enlisted in the Royal Canadian Air Force in 1938 and was commissioned in the R.A.F. in 1939.

Robinson, a member of the No. 1 Squadron, got his commission in the R.A.F. in 1939.

## GERMAN CONSULATE IN HAVANA BOMBED

HAVANA, April 8 (AP)—A bomb exploded tonight in the offices of the German consulate in the heart of Havana.

Office furniture was damaged but no casualties were reported.

Offices of the Havana "Pasaje Legion" are located on the same fourth floor with the German consulate in the Manzana de Gomez Building.

# HEAVY LOSS IN COVENTRY

## Number of Casualties Left By Nazi Raiders Few Enemy Planes Bagged

LONDON April 8 (Wednesday) (CP)—British fighter planes shot down five German bombers during Nazi attacks last night on England, it was reported authoritatively today.

Coventry, heavily raided in mid-November, was attacked twice overnight, with the German air force inflicting heavy damage and causing a number of casualties.

The first raid was beaten off by night fighters after anti-aircraft guns quieted one of the pilots "elusive mood to fight."

Hours later the Germans returned starting at the town in an intense attack. A school, a hospital a police station and a hotel were said to have been hit during the raids.

Bombers also were reported downed over other areas including Northwestern, Western and Eastern England, the East Midlands and South Wales.

London had an alarm last night and scattered some areas of the capital was bombed immediately.

# *May Ask Canada To Collaborate*

SYDNEY, April 8 (CP)—The Commonwealth announcement today that Canadian collaboration may be sought in the development of bases which Australia and New Zealand will establish in the Pacific was hailed by members of defence and social service committees.

Defence committeemen officials said yesterday Canada's geographical position across across the Pacific has made her the inclusion of Canada practicable.

# U.S. WILL BUY DANISH SHIPS

## Roosevelt Intimates Italian And German Vessels May Be Taken Over

WASHINGTON April 8 (AP)—President Roosevelt asserted today that Germany had violated the principles of the legislation under which Danish ships in American ports would be purchased by the United States Government.

The President said at a press conference that, in this step he had the acquiescence of Denmark's minister in this country, Henrik de Kauffman of White House aides earlier in the day.

Mr. Roosevelt placed thirty Germans and Italian ships which have been taken into protective custody since a week after the Danish vessels in a different category.

He said that under present conditions the Danish vessels could be taken over by what he termed forfeiture.

The Danes, Mr. Roosevelt said, would be purchased outright instead of on a requisitioned basis. He implied that other forms of acquisition would apply to the German and Italian ships.

# *Plane With Ten Aboard Lost in Sea*

NORFOLK, Va. April 8 (AP)—The body of one member of the crew of a naval patrol bomber, which plunged into the sea off Cape Machipongan Inlet yesterday was brought into port tonight by a destroyer which had been dragging the sea bottom for several hours.

Two officers and eight enlisted men were aboard the big plane when it disappeared a few minutes after taking off from here on early morning mail.

# GERMAN MECHANIZED DIVISION BREAKS THROUGH GREEK LINES

## From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, April 8. By Cable—While the Germans are rejoining to fighting British on the open city of Belgrade, the Duke of Aosta, Italian commander-in-chief in Ethiopia, has handed his civilian population over to the British arms for protection and has, diplomatically announced that their safety has been secured.

If, says The Times in that correspondent, the Germans succeed in forcing the Rupel Pass into Greece their difficulties will not be over. Strong reinforcements will be needed if the Greeks will still face them and other communications will be open to Royal Air Force bombers.

The invading German armies have to be fed and supplied along the east towards Salonika in Yugoslavia for the capture of Salonika would virtually cut the country in two. The Germans will be anxious to see severe fighting and German advances may be expected. This will be after the Nazis have driven Gen. Hain Commando's plan-de a Balkan front and have thrown upon Yugoslavia's decision to resist Nazi aggrandizement.

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According to The Times' special reporter, correspondent the Luftwaffe in the Balkans numbers about 1,000 machines. Some aircraft must have been transferred from Holland, Belgium and Northern France, but the bulk of the Nazi force is still available for operations against Greece.

Message—from Belgrade say great numbers of Axis troops, air engineers and other experts are already in Greece. The Germans estimate the total as 100 Reich Air Force airplanes and 10,000 men.

From Ankara The Times' correspondent says that the Turks find German excuses for the attack on Yugoslavia "as thin as tissue paper." The Turkish official view is that German, realizing the failure of her plans for overthrowing Britain feels compelled to do something in the Balkans to prevent Britain's power and save face, from utter disaster.

The German bombing of Ankara is that for the present Turkey, in agreement with Britain will continue her present policy of non-belligerency and benevolent neutrality towards the Germans and the Axis.

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# MANY PRISONERS FROM SUBMARINES

LONDON, April 8 (CP)—The Admiralty announced today that commander Otto Kretschmer, noted Nazi U-boat commander, had sunk 47 ships of 650 prisoners they have taken from German submarines in the war.

A communique also said the British Air Force operations against the German air force and naval facilities with "greater success."

On April 1940 "the Admiralty said of Kretschmer, "he was decorated with the Knight's Cross of the Iron Cross. Last December Hitler bestowed on him the Oak Leaves, becoming a member of the select few."

The communique also said the British submarine Triton is overdue.

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# LATE NEWS BULLETINS

## SLAVS ATTACK BULGARIAN FRONTIER POSTS

SOFIA, April 8 (AP)—Yugoslav troops attacked Bulgarian frontier posts in considerable force yesterday and last night, Premier Bogdan Philoff said today. Bulgarian frontier guards in border clashes with Yugoslav troops but the outcome was not stated. "All Bulgaria watches with bated breath the military events that take place this very moment in Macedonia," the Premier said. "Events are being prepared which may be of the greatest importance to the entire Bulgarian nation."

## MAIN BATTLEFIELD WILL REMAIN IN GREECE

NEW YORK, April 8 (CP)—Nazi leaders said today that "the main military battlefield today is in Greece and will remain there for the next few weeks," and explained that conquest of the Balkans is important for the British arms to reinforce Greece's position than to hold positions gained by the Axis at the Nile in North Africa. This is brought out in a CBS broadcast from Ankara heard at the All British High Command—destruction of the Italian Colonial Army—this was the first objective.

## GERMANS REPORTED MOVING UP DANUBE

LONDON, April 8 (Wednesday) (CP)—Reuter's News Agency said early today that a large number of German and Italian troops were moving up the Danube River from the Bulgarian frontier and have occupied a town on the Yugoslav side of the river. The main German attack from Rumania was centred by the region east of Belgrade, Reuter's Agency stationed, and Nazi troops have advanced into several Yugoslav districts.

## STRUMA VALLEY DESCRIBED AS "VALLEY OF DEATH"

LONDON, April 8 (CP)—Greeks are calling the Struma Valley down which the Germans are attempting to reach Salonika, the "Valley of Death." The Athens radio said tonight in a broadcast heard here by N.B.C. that the Germans were making "a costly advance" down this valley.

## GREEK FORCES FIGHTING REARGUARD ACTION

LONDON April 8 (Wednesday)—"German troops have captured Kosturino in Greekan Thrace, and Greek troops are retreating toward the Turkish frontier in the East in accordance with plan," today by the News Agency Exchange Telegraph. The Greeks were fighting a rear guard action on their route to Kosturino (Dedo Agach), the Agency dispatch from Ankara, Turkey, reported.

# Nazi Force Driving South From Yugoslav Border Threatens to Encircle Defenders of Struma Valley—Army in Eastern Macedonia t ut Off From Rest of Country

## *Nazis Suffer Great Losses in Bulgarian Border Fighting*

ATHENS, April 9 (Wednesday) (AP).—A German mechanized division driving southward from the Yugoslav border "dangerously in the direction of Salonika" threatened to encircle Greek forces holding off Nazi attacks at the Struma River Passes to the east, the High Command said today.

Communications between the hard-fighting Greeks in Eastern Macedonia and other forces in the Vardar Valley already have been cut by Germans, the communique said.

The encircling German thrust began at dawn Tuesday after Doiran, Yugoslav town near the junction of the Yugoslav-Greek-Bulgarian frontiers, fell to the invaders.

## GREEK DEFENDERS OUTNUMBERED

Rolling through a mountain pass east of the Vardar River Valley leading down to Salonika, less than fifty miles away, the Germans pushed on as outnumbered Greek defenders sought to delay their advance.

"Eventually, however, the enemy succeeded in pushing dangerously in the direction of Salonika, cutting communications between eastern Macedonia and the rest of the country," the communique said.

This break-through via Yugoslavia apparently was caused when Yugoslav troops withdrew from the Doiran area in rush to Skoplje to defend that key Yugoslav city from the Nazi offensive. The Greek flank thus was exposed.

On the right flank, along the Greek-Bulgarian frontier and particularly at the Struma River passes and on the Plateau of Nevrokop, great successes were claimed for the Greeks.

## SHORT ESCAPE FROM NAZIS

Attacked repeatedly by German tank charges and under hammering by heavy artillery, every Greek fort was said to be holding out. One, the Greek fort of Davaxi, was captured by the Germans after a short fight, but a counter-attack drove them out.

German attackers were unable to withstand a terrific barrage laid down by the Greek fortress artillery, the communique declared.

But the Greeks as well as the Germans are doing the attacking, in some cases the Greeks leaving their entrenchments to carry the fight to the Nazis, it was said.

## GERMAN LOSSES ENORMOUS

Enormous losses in men have been suffered, according to reports reaching here, and the fighting has been violent ever since the German attack began at dawn Sunday.

To what size the conquering Yugoslavs had fallen back was not stated by the Greek General Staff, although other circumstances indicated that they had perhaps sped northwest to aid the defence of Skoplje in Yugoslavia.

The Greeks, while still were occupied also with Italians in the west—in Albania—not only met the invading Nazis head-on at Rupel, but also announced that they had regained 120 Nazi parachutists and Nazi dead. Air-blasted down behind their lines in an effort to smash communications.

## BATTLE SCENE OF DEATH

Among those wounded at the head of the line at Rupel, said Greek Army officers, was Lieut.-Gen. Papagos, Minister of Defence. He also had volunteered for the last perilous suicide post service of dynamiting bridges and communications at the order of his chief.

A group of 150 such desperate men had volunteered to hold off the thirty-to-one advance of German forces that came against them.

Fighting on several fronts in Albania, where the Greeks, supported by British air force, are attempting to run the Italians back to the sea.

The Yugoslav army smashing at the Pacific in the north of Albania was reported to have occupied Scutari, south of Tirana, near the Adriatic, the Greeks said.

The fall of Zara on the Dalma-

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# RECORD NUMBER OF BILLS PASSED

## Alberta Legislature Prorogued—Governor Gives Assent to 123 Enactments

EDMONTON, April 8 (CP)—The first session of the Ninth Alberta Legislature was prorogued today by Lieutenant-Governor John C. Bowen and assented to seventy-bills, bringing to 123 the total enactments of the session.

This is the largest total since the Social Credit Government first was elected to office in 1935. The previous high was 119, in 1937, the session opened February 20.

Included in the bills receiving assent was one giving the Lieutenant-Governor in council wide powers to make emergency measures regarding the disposition of the 1941 wheat crop.

Another act enables the Government to levy a tax on life insurance business. The Government already has a tax on insurance office for insuring Government and other buildings.

# House Adjourns for Easter Recess After Long Wheat Debate

**Acreage Reduction Programme Again Defended By Minister of Agriculture—MacKinnon Refuses to Divulge Price Paid by Great Britain**

Over the Government's wheat acreage reduction programs occupied the House of Commons until 5 o'clock tonight when, amid a flurry of protest from the C.C.F. group, adjournment was taken until April 28.

M. J. Coldwell, acting C.C.F. House Leader declared he had expected in all this sowing and had not been consulted about any change.

The last few minutes of the wheat debate were featured by a declaration from Harry Leader, Liberal, Portage la Prairie, that he would welcome a debate in his own constituency with Agriculture Minister Gardiner "before the highest tribunal in this land."

Mr Leader was one of the many members from all sides of the House who protested against the Government's decision not to increase the initial price on wheat above the seventy cents a bushel basis No. 1 Northern at Port William, which has been in effect for some time.

**ITEM NOT PASSED**

The purpose of the last-minute discussion on wheat was not so much an effort to pass the $15,000,000 supplementary estimate covering the cost of the new policy as to enable members to gain complete knowledge of the plan as they could tell their constituents about it while they are home for Easter. The item did not pass.

A feature of the discussion was the attempt of John Diefenbaker (Conservative Lake Centre) to get Trade Minister MacKinnon to tell the House what price was being received from Great Britain.

He claimed the Saskatchewan Government apparently had knowledge of the price and quoted both Premier Patterson and Agriculture Minister Taggart of that Province as stating in the Legislature that it was about eighty-five cents a bushel.

Mr MacKinnon said he had refused this information last year on grounds it was not in the public interest, and that the same reasons existed now for refusing to answer the question.

**FOR GOOD OF FARMERS**

Mr Gardiner spoke at some length in support of the wheat policy which he said was acceptable to the great majority and would prove to those who now criticized it in the House, to be for the ultimate good of the farmers.

The policy proposes to boost Prairie farmers for taking their lands out of wheat production, paying $4 an acre for lands left in Summer fallow and $2 an acre if sown to coarse grains or grass.

The intention as announced is to reduce wheat acreage by 9 000,000 acres.

There was no compulsory crop reduction Mr Gardiner said. Some farmers might decide to sow normal acreage in the expectation that this or some other Government would want the wheat eventually.

"That is exactly what I intend to do," said Gordon Ross (Liberal, Moose Jaw), a wheat farmer for thirty years.

## Governor Receives Ambulance Members

A scene in the ballroom at Government House as His Excellency the Governor-General and H.R.H. Princess Alice received members of the St John Ambulance Association at the conclusion of the annual meeting of the British Columbia Council on Monday evening. The Governor-General's aide, Commander E. C. Sherwood, R.C.N., is announcing the names of the members as they move forward in line to shake hands with Their Excellencies.

## BELLA COOLA PIONEER CROSSES THE DIVIDE

BELLA COOLA, B.C., April 8 (CP)—Residents from miles down the Bella Coola Valley converged here Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs Adolf Christensen, who settled here in 1895 when the valley was a wilderness. She died during the week-end at the age of sixty-four.

Mrs. Christensen's father, Ole Pinnback, was a member of the famous colonization scheme of the Bella Coola Valley in 1894. She is survived by her husband, six sons, two daughters, three sisters and a brother.

## YUGOSLAVS CLAIM GERMANS REPULSED

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will do the same now. I ask of you complete discipline everywhere, whether in the army or at home. Have faith in God and the unity of the Peasant party."

This was the first time the Yugoslav Government had been heard from since the German attack began at dawn Sunday, presumably wrecking the Belgrade radio and the communications center of the capital.

**CLAIM TWO TOWNS TAKEN**

BERNE, April 8 (CP)—The German Balkan armies were reported tonight to have seized two vital military and communications centres at Yugoslavia's rear.

While the Nazis reported, incidentally, the capture of the flat and rich, readily defensible Banat region of Northeastern Yugoslavia, it was in the country's centre and southeast that they claimed the greatest gains.

In Middle Yugoslavia the cities of Skoplje which commands the head of the Vardar River Valley, and Nis, Yugoslavia's most important railway junction, were claimed to have been occupied, and to the southeast a Yugoslav withdrawal had opens the Grecian left flank at the vital Rupel Pass on the Struma.

The reported German capture of Skoplje and Nis—the first was directly claimed by the Germans and the fall of Nis was reported in Hungarian dispatches—if confirmed would suggest to some observers a setback of undetermined importance to Britain and her Balkan Allies. It would mean that in less than three days the Nazis had thrust fifty-five miles across mountainous country from their base just inside the Bulgarian frontier.

**IMPORTANT RAIL CENTRE**

Nis controls all rail traffic between the north and south of the country, and Skoplje is a similarly important centre. Both are army district headquarters.

In German hands they would serve to break Yugoslav transport and also would provide the bases for a continued Nazi thrust westward forty-five miles to join with the Italians in Albania.

Allied action during the day was mainly defensive except in Albania, where the Italians appeared manoeuvred by a Yugoslav offensive driving southward in an attempt to join the Greeks on the Northern Albanian front and thus perhaps fatally entrap the Fascists.

## GERMAN DIVISION CUTS GREEK LINES

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tian coast, also was said to have fallen to the Yugoslavs.

**GREEK COMMUNIQUE**

ATHENS, April 8 (Wednesday) (CP-Reuters)—The Greek High Command communique issued early Wednesday:

"Pressure of German forces against our sector of the front continued strong today. The enemy also achieved no results.

"Small Greek forces which have been fighting for two days failed all attempts of attacking forces.

"In the Struma Valley the fire of the Rupel, Usta, Paliourons and Kavala forts created a barrage which the enemy did not succeed in crossing.

"In particular Rupel and Usta unflinchingly resisted for the third day the full violence of enemy fire and tank attacks.

"Parachutists dropped by the enemy to the south of the front were mopped up. About seventy of them were taken prisoner.

"On the Plateau of Nevropolje a violent struggle was carried out not only by our forts, but by our units outside them. Our forts resisted with great effectiveness.

**GREEKS RECAPTURE FORT**

"One of them, David, after having been captured by the enemy, was immediately recaptured through counter-attack.

"The fort of Lisse was subjected to a violent bombardment by many heavy artillery.

"Our units outside the forts by counter-attacking recaptured parts of our sector of the front which the enemy had succeeded in occupying temporarily.

"To the left of our sector of the front a German mechanized division, after penetrating into Yugoslav territory, succeeded in reaching the Greek-Bulgarian frontier on Monday to occupy Doiran.

"Since dawn Monday this division penetrated into our territory through a mountainous corridor to the east of Axioupolis.

"The enemy succeeded in pushing his forces dangerously in the direction of Salonika, cutting off communications of our forces in Eastern Macedonia with the rest of the country."

PRINCE RUPERT, April 8 (CP)—The $5,000 quota of this Northern British Columbia port in the National War Savings drive has been exceeded by more than $2,000 and the campaign has gone ranged Lieut.-Colonel J. W. Nicholls in charge of the drive here said orders for certificates still were coming in.

## MINISTER TO U.S. PASSES

**Loring Christie Dies in New York Hospital After Long Illness**

NEW YORK, April 8 (CP)—Loring Christie, Canadian Minister to the United States, died today in Rockefeller Institute Hospital, where he had been a patient, since last November reportedly suffering from a heart ailment.

OTTAWA, April 8 (CP)—Loring Christie, who died today in New York, held rank in Canada's diplomatic service as Minister to Washington, although another man also designated as minister was carrying out the actual duties of that post.

Last February 19, Mr. Christie, fifty-six years old and a since November said Prime Minister Mackenzie King his recovery would take longer than was expected. The Prime Minister gave him extended leave of absence and on February 20 appointed Leighton G. McCarthy K.C., of Toronto, to the post.

**STAFF'S LEFT INTACT**

But Mr. Christie's services were considered so valuable his status as minister was left intact as his services could have been used again if his health had improved.

Mr. Christie was appointed to Canada's top flight diplomatic post September 15, 1926 when the outbreak of war had pushed to the fore the industrial commercial and political relations between the Dominion and United States and when relations between the United States and the British Commonwealth were assuming ever-greater importance.

Mr. Christie a career diplomat was an attorney in the United States Department of Justice in 1918 after completing his law education at Harvard University. From 1911 to 1913 he was assistant to the United States Attorney-General.

Born at Amherst, N.S. he studied at Acadia University, Wolfville, N.S. before attending law school at Harvard. During his university career in Nova Scotia he played on one side Paul Bowlen, hockey, football and basketball leader, and was captain of the hockey team and tennis champion of the university.

He is survived by his widow, his second wife. His first wife formerly Marie Armstrong of Ottawa died about a year ago. There is also one son, Paul.

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# Three Ministers In Joint Appeal To Find Recruits

**Call Being Made for Upwards of 116,000 Men to Reinforce Canada's Armed Forces of Three Services—Need Urgent for Radio Technicians**

OTTAWA, April 8 (CP)—A call for upwards of 116,000 men will be made during the current year to reinforce Canada's armed forces, it was announced tonight in a joint radio appeal for recruits by Defence Minister Ralston, Air Minister Power and Navy Ministeir Macdonald.

Of the men power required during 1941, the army will absorb up to 72,000, the air force approximately 35,000, and the navy about 9,000 officers and men, the ministers said.

Launching the final public appeal for recruits since the outbreak of war, Col. Ralston said the increase of pressure in the past had prohibited enrolment on impressum that men were not needed.

Under present conditions the army alone would require between 8,000 to 8,000 every month for active service to fill up units already formed or to add to them.

"We want to be absolutely sure that, come what may, every formation which Canada has pledged shall be kept up to full strength," Col. Ralston said. "That is what the minister means by the 'H hour' to provide new units.

"It is to keep that fine Canadian army of ours here and overseas tuned up and ready for anything.

"In England Lieut.-Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton and the Canadian Corps have been given a vital part in the defence of Britain under Sir Alan Brooke. The recruits of the last week-end make it more necessary than ever for us to have our fighting forces overseas and there active will soon go reserves up to full strength and to keep them that way.

**MATCHING UP**

Col. Ralston said members of reserve units with first battalions in the active army would be given an opportunity to volunteer for active service as the need arose for more men. It was impracticable for each active unit to have a reserve unit of the same name, but under an arrangement voluntarily from reserve, 50,000 men now were serving with are reads this minute in volunteer design radio technicians placed at the Royal Canadian Air Force. In the meantime a new service in a new service, recruiting aims all over the Dominion.

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**DETAILS ARE SECRET**

The British Air Ministry reports not I can say that it is of vital importance that we get these men and that we get them immediately.

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# Governor-General Opens Red Triangle Club

In the above picture, taken in the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium, His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada, the Earl of Athlone, is shown as he officially opened the Red Triangle Club, a project of the War Services Committee of the Y.M.C.A., on Monday afternoon. The club embodies a comfortably furnished lounge, and a dormitory equipped with twenty beds. Those in the picture, reading from left to right, are W. T. Edwin Tomlin, Lieut. D. Lamar, R.C.N.R.; the Governor-General; H. B. Witter, president of the Y.M.C.A.; Major General R. O. Alexander, Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop of Columbia; Group Captain C. R. Slamon, Hon. John Hart and Capt. the Rev. G. A. Reynolds.

# THREE KILLED IN ACCIDENTS

**Royal Canadian Air Force Releases Thirty-Eighth Casualty List of War**

OTTAWA, April 8 (CP)—Three deaths by flying accidents and two from natural causes were reported [illegible] Royal Canadian Air Force [illegible] list of the war.

One man was reported missing e e result of air operations overseas raising to 196 the total number re dead and missing reported by the air force since war began. Three other members of the R.A.F. were listed as seriously ill.

Pushing up the latest list of casualties to 611 official numbers and dead of kin:

Overseas—Missing as result of air operations: Pilot Officer Ian Martin, 21115, son of John Martin, father, Edinburgh, Scotland.

Canada—Killed in flying accident: Pilot Officer Robert Conder, 32639, Mrs. R. Conder, wife; Millfield, Alta.—Killed April 2 near Macleod: Sergeant James White, M-10501, 836804 Frederick McIntosh, father; Winnipeg Man.—Killed April 2 near Macleod: Leading aircraftman R. D. Wernie, R.A.F. 1378241 t Wes, mother, Petterham, London, England.

Died from natural causes: Flight Sergeant Christopher Howard, R.A.F., Mrs. C. H. Green, wife; Edmonton.

Aircraftman, Second Class Thomas Cedric Cameron, R82457, Mrs. D. S. Cameron, mother; Carleton Place, Ontario.

Reginald E. Sergeant, Robert Gilbert Hervey, R59654, Mrs. P. M. Benedict, sister; Toronto. Aircraftman, First Class Harvey Alley Bills, R82455, Mrs. Ethel Bills, father; Kings Court, N.B. Aircraftman, Second Class Thomas Russell Davey, R97465, Mrs. C. H. Davey, wife; Montreal Que.

# PENSION PLAN BEYOND MEANS

**Ten-Dollar Increase Would Cost Province Annually Some $1,421,776**

Urged by old-age pensioners and other associations to bring old age pensions by $10 monthly out of provincial funds, the Provincial Government pointed out yesterday that this would cost $1,421,776 additional to revenue of existing pensioners on a yearly basis and could not be brought about at the present time.

Premier Patullo speaking for the Province said British Columbia was paying $5 to each of 20,000 pensioners now, with a cost of $716,000 for existing pensions, and a total bill of $1,644,000, of which the Dominion pays three-quarters.

Were the Province to act as requested, the $715,884 in yearly pay[illegible] would mount three-fold to $2,132,000 in respect of existing pensioners. No such funds were available for the purpose, the Premier said.

While sympathetic with the suggestion, the request was beyond the means of the Province, Premier Patullo declared.

# SUPPORTED PLAN FOR ANNEXATION

**Victoria Once Backed Move to Make B.C. American Colony, Historian Says**

British Columbia's entry into Confederation in 1871 was given impetus by a previous agitation for annexation to United States, it was declared, a movement which received considerable support in Victoria, W. E. Ireland, provincial archivist, told the Gyro Club at its weekly meeting in the Empress Hotel on Monday.

The gist for peaceful relations which Canada and the United States have long enjoyed Bernard continuous example origin to early conflicts between them, said Mr. Ireland. Only two years before the Confederation movement in 1869, Mr. Ireland recalled, the population of British Columbia "reached" and at one time it seemed the term would not now be the status of a territory extended to the 54th second parallel to include the separate territory of the Alaska Panhandle.

Between 1820 and 1850 five or six American trade canoe around Cape Horn, and landed on the Northwest Coast for the Hudson's Bay Company followed and established trade competitions dotting there and Mr. Ireland remarked, in paying tribute to the company's role in commercial pursuit.

If Eastern Canada today viewed the same type of annexation, it was when the question of British Columbia's entry into Confederation was broached greater co-operation between East and West would exist. Mr. Ireland said. Lodge Gilman introduced Mr. Ireland, who was thanked for his address by Gyro President William Clark.

# *Perjury Case at Nanaimo Assizes*

NANAIMO, April 8—The opening Assize Court opened here today with Chief Justice Aulay Morrison presiding. Alfred Mayall of Courtenay and his wife Mary Magnus are charged with perjury in connection with evidence given before gaoler at Courtenay January 16 and 17 during a fire marshal inquiry in connection with a fire which destroyed their home at Long May 26.

# *Will Give Show Praising Spirit Of Democracies*

Victoria Welsh Society tonight will present in annual concert marked by a Carnival of Democracy, an item breathing the spirit with which the nations fighting to uphold freedom in the world are endowed. Other turns will include a minstrel show and some rousing musical songs.

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Lake Trail Road in that district. Eleven men and one woman, Mrs. Norman Bell, comprise the jury.

Three officers are mentioned in the indictment against Magnus, alleging that he gave false evidence in connection with the coal of fires at the residence in the fire. The case is continuing.

**EDMONTON ELECTION**

OTTAWA, April 8 (CP)—Official announcement was made today that in connection with evidence which will be given at Courtenay January 16 and 17 during a fire marshal inquiry in connection with a fire which destroyed their home at Long May 26.


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## IN THE BALKANS

There is no secret about the successes so far achieved by German land forces in the campaigns in which they have engaged during the present war. They are due to the heavily mechanized character of their army, the employment of Stuka dive-bombers in great numbers and the preponderating character of the man-power they employ in an offensive. If there is another factor it is the great air strength they bring to bear on objectives behind the battle line and the terror they create by bombing civilians. In the story of their Balkan adventure as so far told, there are evidences of all these methods of Nazi warfare. Wherever the Germans have been encountered it is by weaker forces and by numerically inferior air strength. All this explains the advances they are making in Yugoslavia and in Greece. The fate of both these countries must be regarded as even now, in the early stages of the campaign, as having precarious possibilities.

It is a matter of honor, of faith and of promise that Great Britain should have gone to the aid of Greece by land, sea and air in the latter's struggle for freedom. What Great Britain has a right to expect is that Turkey, in view of the present developments, will implement the terms of the mutual assistance pact now in force between her and the Eastern Mediterranean are definitely threatened. Turkey, so far, gives no indication of moving in the struggle, although she could prove a big factor, perhaps a decisive one, in stemming the German tide of aggression now flowing towards bar frontiers. It is one of the war's tragedies that Ankara should remain supine in the light of what is happening in the Near East.

The Yugoslavs and the Greeks can look nowhere for reinforcements but to their island neighbor. Every pressed battle lines save to Great Britain and the United States, to the former for man-power and to the latter for military supplies. Both of these in such quantities as are necessary to meet the developing situation, may take months to be forthcoming. The character of the new phase of aggression, reminiscent of what happened in Poland, in the Low Countries and in France, indicates that if it is to be met successfully speed in bringing up man-power and supplies is the essence of the contract. There is the possibility that the nature of the terrain being defended by the Greeks, reinforced by British troops on their main front, is such as to offer opportunity for a stout resistance, but whatever happens in the Struma area there is the threat of a German thrust down the Vardar Valley now that a wedge has been driven between the Yugoslav and Greek forces. It was the passage by this route that the German might when they induced the former Yugoslavian Government to conclude an agreement with the Axis Powers. They have now made their way to a point within reach of the Vardar by force of arms.

As this stage attempts to foretell the course of the Balkan campaign would be mere guesswork, but it must be acknowledged that the initial advantages have been won by the enemy. What can be said with certainty is that very substantial reinforcements, both in man-power and in materials will be needed if the battlefront in the Balkans is to be maintained. Any attempt to dislodge it is being blind to the facts of the situation. In the campaigns in Norway and in Flanders during the course of the present war the lesson was learned of "too little and too late." It should not have to be learned anew in the Balkans.

## BATTLE OF THE ATLANTIC

The heavy mercantile marine losses through German action during March show that what is called the Battle of the Atlantic is reaching a new period of intensity. It is obvious that the enemy has concentrated on building submarines and long-range aerial bombers and during recent months has been devoting these instruments of warfare to attack convoys passing to and fro on the Atlantic. Moreover, he has used the surface raiders Scharnhorst and Gneisenau which have been responsible for heavy destruction. These pocket battleships have now returned to their base at Brest, where British bombers have made many attempts to destroy them.

The net estimate is that during the first eighteen months of the war the destruction of mercantile tonnage has been about five-twelfths of what it was during the fifty-one months of the Great War. The rate of loss is showing a tendency to increase. One commentator expresses the opinion that for the present year, if measures cannot be adopted to stem the menace, anywhere from 3,500,000 to 5,000,000 tons of British, neutral and allied shipping will be sunk. The seriousness of this rate of destruction is illustrated by the fact that all the replacements that can be made at present by both the British Empire and the United States cannot amount to much over 2,000,000 tons of ocean-going vessels.

The comforting side of the picture is that new measures are being adopted by degrees for the protection of shipping voyaging in the Atlantic lanes. It is not an easy matter because of the many preoccupations of the Royal Navy, the greatest of all of which is the necessity of being prepared at all times to combat any attempted invasion of the British Isles. The growing weakening of the Italian Navy in the Mediterranean gave indications of enabling British vessels to be sent from that sea to the Atlantic; in fact, a number had already been dispatched. The campaign in the Balkans has developed since then and calls for no reduction in the strength of British fleeting defences in the Mediterranean. The Navy, as always, is fighting on all fronts and has to maintain perpetual vigilance. The hardest task of all that it has is in meeting the intensified menace against mercantile shipping in the Atlantic. The Germans, assuredly, will bring their most powerful efforts to bear to interrupt the gathering flow of American aid to Great Britain.

The Battle of the Atlantic is being fought in German and German-occupied ports as well as in the broad reaches of the ocean. That is the explanation of the repeated British bombing raids on Kiel and Wilhelmshaven, on Emden, on Brest, on Lorient, and other places for submarines and dive-bombers. A campaign of this character takes time to make its effects felt, and the Germans now occupy such a long stretch of coastline from which they can operate in the Atlantic that the task of both the Royal Air Force and the Navy is one that taxes their resources to the uttermost. There are evidences that the Battle of the Atlantic will be long drawn out and with varying fortunes as the tonnage losses published weekly indicate.

There is no denying that what is happening offers a serious menace to the food supply of the United Kingdom. The facts of the situation are being faced in London. In Washington, too, more and more is being heard of the proposal that American warships should convoy American supplies destined to Great Britain across the greater part of the Atlantic. That course would tend to relieve the Royal Navy to a very appreciable extent. The danger of such a course, as viewed from the American angle, is that it would drag the United States into the war. The Germans are no respectors of neutrality where the destruction of merchant shipping is concerned.

## CONSTRUCTION OF DESTROYERS

Mr. A. L. Macdonald, Minister for the Navy, gave the House of Commons some particulars on March 18 on an appropriation of $58,017,000 in the Estimates for naval shipbuilding. He said, without any further information (and none was asked for in this particular), that the amount was made up, in part, "of the moneys necessary to complete destroyers and to commence construction of further destroyers." In that respect, he said, "the total is $9,250,000."

The country has been kept in complete ignorance as to what is being done in the building of destroyers, where they are being built, how many are under construction and what further vessels of this class are contemplated. None of this information, if made public, could give any comfort to the enemy. The Minister for the Navy has given the numbers and costs of corvettes, other types of anti-submarine vessels, Fairmile boats, motor torpedo boats, motor mine vessels, mine sweepers, boom maintenance vessels, gate vessels, harbor craft, ammunition lighters, etc. All these are regarded as constituting contributions to the naval strength of the country. So are destroyers, in an even greater degree. Nothing could be done by telling the country any particulars there are about the construction of destroyers which is a new departure in naval shipbuilding in the Dominion.

The Montreal Board of Trade has sent a letter to the Prime Minister on the subject of the St. Lawrence Seaway. It says that the council of the board "still lacks sufficient information" on the proposal as one to which Canada should be committed at this highly critical time. This is a frank admission that the danger of impairing the national war effort "by the diversion of labor, material and transportation facilities to a project, the particulars of which cannot accrue for four years and the ultimate benefits for eight years."

The engagement in which the Italian Navy lost over 30,000 tons of shipping and suffered 3,000 casualties is designated the Battle of Cape Matapan. This name for it was first used by The Times, London, and has now been confirmed by the British Admiralty.

## THE ENGLISHMAN

Instinctively the Englishman is no missionary for conquest . . . He carries his English breakfast in his heart wherever he goes and is bewildered to find in the desert and a steady and sane oracle amongst all the delirium of mankind. Where since the heroic days of Greece has the world had such a just, sweet, boyish master. It will be a black day for the human race when scientific blackguards, conquerors, churls and fanatics manage to supplant him.—George Santayana

Life consists in the alternate process of learning what to do and how; but it is often wiser to unlearn than to learn.—Balzac

The rose and the thorn, sweet and sickness are linked together.—Saadi

## The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7.00 p.m. April 8, 1941.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

A disturbance has passed over the Queen Charlotte and the north of Vancouver Island. Another disturbance is forming off the Oregon Coast. The weather has been cloudy in the West and fair in the East and light to moderate rain falls on the Coast.

The Prairies have been fair in the North and West and cloudy with a little rain in the Southeast.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

Precipitation for twelve hours to 5.00 p.m.; temperature for twenty-four hours:

| | Precipitation | Min | Max |
|---|---|---|---|
| Victoria | | 43 | 54 |
| Nanaimo | | 45 | 54 |
| Vancouver | | 40 | 47 |
| Kamloops | | 40 | 67 |
| Prince George | | 30 | 64 |
| Estevan Point | .13 | 48 | 50 |
| Prince Rupert | .43 | 42 | 48 |
| Langara | | 43 | 45 |
| Dawson | | 25 | 50 |
| Dawson | | 27 | 54 |
| Mayo | | 24 | 63 |
| Portland | | 44 | 63 |
| San Francisco | | 49 | 58 |
| Spokane | | 33 | 49 |
| Penticton | | 35 | 51 |
| Vernon | | 33 | 53 |
| Kelowna | | 32 | 64 |
| Grand Forks | | 33 | 64 |
| Nelson | | 30 | 66 |
| Kaslo | | 30 | 66 |
| Cranbrook | | 27 | 64 |
| Calgary | | 26 | 57 |
| Edmonton | | 25 | 58 |
| Battleford | | 24 | 57 |
| Regina | | 31 | 52 |
| Prince Albert | | 30 | 52 |
| Winnipeg | .12 | 20 | 38 |
| Dauphin | | | |
| Toronto | | 34 | 53 |
| Ottawa | | 30 | 53 |
| Sault Ste. Marie | | 33 | 45 |
| Halifax | | 35 | 42 |

TUESDAY

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| Minimum | 43 |
| Maximum | 54 |
| Average | 48 |
| Minimum on the grass | 39 |

Weather, cloudy.

Sunshine, April 7, 8 hours.

6.00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.94; wind, N. 8 miles, cloudy.

Vancouver — Barometer, 29.88; wind, W. NW. 5 miles, cloudy.

Kamloops — Barometer, 29.91; wind, NE., 5 miles, cloudy.

Prince George—Barometer 29.90; wind, S.-SW., 15 miles, cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer 29.87; wind SE., 15 miles, cloudy.

Langara—Barometer, 29.87; wind, S., 21 miles, cloudy.

Estevan Point—Barometer 29.86, wind, S., 21 miles, cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.86; wind, E., 5 miles, cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 29.86; wind, S.-SW., 10 miles, cloudy.

Seattle — Barometer, 29.87; wind, W.-SW., 2 miles, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer 30.05 wind W., 15 miles, cloudy.

## Note and Comment

By SANDHAM CRAVEN

### THE LOST DIARY
### Part III. No. 4

It is a strange country where the ground is more interesting to airmen than the air. Yet Palestine was like that. This was a storied land. The old chronicles of the Bible became almost literal as read on the ground. There, if you looked, was the press of the multitude, the impasse by the side of the wayfarer ceasing his dusty feet by the roadside, the footprints of the shepherd tending water from the well, the hut by the gate, clear sites for a guide by Allah. Off duty, the pilots of "Y" squadron toured Jerusalem and its environs as keen tourists. In High Street, I ran into a friend I had trained with at the ground school at Oxford, and together we had great times.

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Jerusalem is extended to overflowing. The new town on the hill was white and garish; but the old city, deep down in its valley, labyrinths and bazaars was a picture in which Time did not seem to exist. Hebraic young gentlemen in black caftans, with long, oval-shaped shovel hats and sidecurls, grizzled old Bedouins, in flowing robes and sheep-skin sandals, bearded patriarchs also waddled fatly in the market place, wry-necked lumping camels with their lean and dusty drivers, Arabs in tarbushes and their snow-white yashmaks, pannier-laden donkeys, and the wistful children, with their big, deeply-crusted eye sockets, presented a panorama of humanity that one does not readily forget.

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Down by the great wall of Constantine beyond the Damascus Gate was its smooth stones worn concave by the pressure of many heads, and the square of pavement beyond an immense flag-stoned courtyard by the gate. Here the original temple must have been one could only guess at. Now it was a mosque with its round golden dome was the Mosque of Omar, where if one pay a certain sum over the hands he would be shown with reverence the three hairs from the Prophet's beard, and a footprint in the dome of the rock. In Jerusalem itself was the Church of the Nativity, with a blacked-out window in its eastern outer wall. The ground was sacred not to one faith but to many. Christian and Moslem lived side by side.

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Outside in the hills the scene was no less picturesque. Wild olive and fig trees grew in cultivated clinging clinging precariously to a red-like stony soil. The hills themselves were terraced down in narrow ledges, on a inch, in the sheer-cut slope, and the natural soil gathered in the more fertile valleys, oranges grew lushly with fever-laden alleys around the orange groves, waiting for the rainy season to become pestilential, the home of malaria-carrying mosquitoes. At the roadside in some villages there could see the wine presses and the ripper and the cider vinegar around the farm. The red-leathered tail was sent to town, where it was lifted and let fall from forks to be winnowed of its chaff by the wind. Oxen at times would be driven over the grain lands, bruising out the seeds from the husk and, part of the naked surviving store of husbandry.

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From the air the flat-roofed villages rising in small clusters to the pinnacles of the hills, each village with its headman's house in the center supporting community that was at once a fort or refuge from the neighbors. Superimposed on all this was the shadow of war. Many days motor lorries jostling with camel trains for the chalk white winding roads that threaded through the waste of valleys, staff cars with red tabs bustling, speeding in a swirl of arid dust, motorcycle despatch riders, standing by for the news of the patient, plodding donkeys. From the air too the broad grey-green of the olive plain, and one could see both the eastern and the western limits of the land, with, off to the east the trackless desert of Trans-Jordania. Parish dog-like, with the gaunt skirts of every village, and on the hills the parish keeps of the Crusaders, ghastly chants by night. By day the desert was a place of almost bald-headed and ominous in the air, waiting for life to slow down to trip to crawl for its power was life did not seem to cease. It flowed on, endlessly and sullenly. Palestine was like a country that had been ruin and desolation. It persisted currently in the present in verse and drama and routines that had been Biblical in the past.

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A Miss Ewer grabbed a towel rail to an upstairs room and hung on when the rest of the room was blown off and the floor under her collapsed as a bomb exploded on the one scrambled ground-floored her.

## Will Present Lions' Club Charter Here

The charter night of the Lions Club of Victoria will be held next Saturday at 7 p.m. in the Empress hotel grill, when the charter will be presented by the district governor, D. L. Hunt, Seattle.

A delegation of Americans from south of the line and a contingent from the four Kamloops clubs will be in attendance. Joseph D. Clark, president of the Victoria club will preside.

## The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

### Hope It to Soon

From the World: "When the invasion has been beaten off and the Luftwaffe over England is masters of the air, the tide of battle will turn. The air currents will be fair for England, and the RAF and its Dominion auxiliaries will make for the continent. There will probably be a special medal for the Empire pilots who drops a bomb in Berchtesgaden!

. . .

From Saturday Night: "Germans are getting 40 per cent less fat than usual. The Gestapo still not let them chew the fat anymore." . . . From the New Yorker: "The Turks are given to understand that Russia would be within right if they resisted a German attack. The Soviets might even help by waging a violent whispering campaign."

. . .

Bill, the friendly barber, arrived in the shop in a reminiscent mood the other day. In particular he commenced to deliver an oration on modern youth. Young fellows are spending far too much time, easy work, nice hours and plenty of pay. Why, do you know, at last I was getting when I got married?" he asked. No I bet you did not either" the boss chuckled.

To amuse himself on Sunday, Bill had taken a stroll down to a friend tar down and dashed off a masterly piece. This he showed to the shop in a reminiscent mood. It is particularly remarkable for the manner in which he has contrived to depict with words the gloomy interior of a burglars. He has made his way to the darkened house and is about to enter. Bill has contrived to get the lock and door absolutely through the gloomy light. The clock strikes one. . . . Bertie interjected innocently: "I wonder who did the clock striking?" G.B.

## Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be published unless the writer's full correct signature and address of the writer. This rule applies to letters over the name de plume as well as those in initials.

### FOR U.K. RAID VICTIMS

Sir—Some weeks ago a letter appeared in your columns suggesting that the citizens of this city give their offerings on the National Day of Prayer to relief the victims of the raids in Britain.

Most of our churches have great difficulty in financing their work and could not comply with such a request without very serious embarrassment.

However, our association is arranging for the Bay Theatre to be held next Sunday morning on Mount Tolmie provided that the offering taken be given entirely to the Lord Mayor's Fund for the relief of the victims in Britain. As president of the association bearing the expense I am writing.

For many years the citizens of Victoria have attended the Easter Sunday service in large numbers and in inviting them to join with us in this effort to help and send them to make it a means of assisting our suffering people in the United Kingdom who are bearing so nobly the pain and the loss while defending the freedom that is of all others dear.

G. A. REYNOLDS,
President.

T. G. GRIFFITHS,
Secretary-treasurer Associated Ministers of Victoria B.C. April 8, 1941.

### "SALUTE TO BRITAIN"

Sir—An urgent appeal has been made to the citizens of Victoria and Vancouver to arrange special services and programs to participate in Dominion-wide tribute to Britain and all those who are forming the defence of the united forces during the week of April 20-27.

Issued in conjunction with the national committee organizing the "Salute to Britain" week inaugurated by Premier Hon. Mackenzie King, the appeal is signed by official representatives of the heads of the Roman Catholic, Protestant, Anglican and United Churches.

Representative services are planned on St. George's Day itself, which is April 23, and on the following Sunday, April 27. The living of the flag


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of St. George on all churches is suggested.

In addition in the religious programme local parades and other features of a week's observance of the festival are being planned in communities from coast to coast. Bakers and other service clubs are participating by focussing their luncheon meetings for the week on the significance of St. George's Day this year, the most momentous in the history of the nation.

The joint letter to the clergy urges immediate preparations for a definite observance this day bare the very heart of Canada.

The letter points out that with that demonstration our suffering friends in Britain will be lifted to new heights and the faith and zeal of Canada itself confirmed and strengthened.


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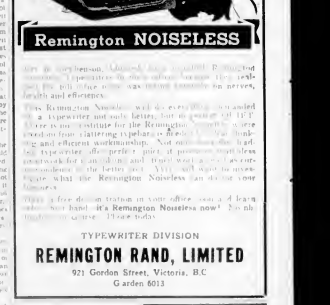


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## Tides at Victoria

## FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From The Daily Colonist of April 9 1891:

Mrs. Solomon Cunnerton — Alex Ewen is about to begin the erection of a new cottage on Pandora street, which will be adjacent to the old cottage so long familiar to people on the Pleasant Ground. The new building will be built partly in front of the old one and Mr. Ewen's facilities for packing will thereby be greatly increased. The new cottage is expected to be erected on the Pleasant during the present year the other two being those of the Victoria Lumber Company, on the main river and Steven Richardson on the North Arm.

. . .

For Alberni Mr. and Mrs. Sutton, Miss Coverity, Mr. Mackay, and Mr. and Mrs. Smith were the passengers carried to Alberni last night by the steamer Maude, which has on board the mails and full cargo for the settlement. She is expected back tomorrow night.

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Voice Culture—Mr. Perwick is establishing a class for voice culture on Sunday afternoons. This will be a good opportunity for those who wish to know their voice, and have not the time to devote to private study. Permission has been given for the use of the lecture room in St. Andrew's Church for the above purpose. There will be an advanced class and a junior class at a moderate fee per month.


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## *Brig. G. P. Loggie Visiting Victoria*

Accompanied by Mrs. Loggie — Brigadier George Purves Loggie — Brigadier Lougie founded and operated a motor manufacturing plant prominent in military circles for the mechanization of troops in Britain, arrived in Victoria on Monday for a sojourn of several weeks.

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# JURY PROBES MOTOR CRASH

### Kenneth Boyd Freed of Blame in Death of Doreen Boyles, Seventeen

A verdict of accidental death was returned by a coroner's jury under Coroner Dr. W. H. Hall at the Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon, after investigating circumstances surrounding the death of Doreen May Boyles, seventeen, Cobble Hill.

Miss Boyles was killed last Friday night when an automobile driven by Kenneth Boyd, seventeen, Shawnigan Lake, crashed into another car in charge of Ernest Gaudin on Cedar Hill Road, near Pear Street.

Thomas Boyles, father of the deceased girl, stated she had left her home at Cobble Hill at 7.30 o'clock on the night of the tragedy.

Dr. Verne Newton testified that the girl was dead on arrival at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. He found a large wound on the right side of her neck and a severed windpipe.

Ernest Gaudin said he had been proceeding south along Cedar Hill Road about 8 o'clock Friday night when he noticed the Boyd car. He pulled into the right side of the road, but the machine, proceeding in a northerly direction, struck and damaged his car and then broke a telephone pole.

**AT HIGH SPEED**

Mr. Gaudin estimated he had been traveling about ten miles per hour, and the Boyd car at a high rate of speed. He heard a scream from the other car, and, going on the road "Boyd told me he was only going forty-five miles per hour," Mr. Gaudin told the jury. Mrs. Annie Gaudin, wife of the witness, gave her version of the crash.

Arthur Spedding testified that he heard a screech and then a terrific crash. He saw the Boyd car go through a fence and noticed a body in the centre of the road. When he found it was the Boyles girl seriously injured, he asked a neighbor to telephone for Saanich police and an ambulance. He said he covered the girl with blankets.

Constable Victor Smith, Saanich Police, estimated there would have been plenty of room for two cars to pass at the scene of the accident. He described finding on poles when he examined the injured girl before she was rushed to the hospital. He said the Boyd car sustained heavy damage to the body and glass. He found a hole through the wind-shield

**BROWS POLE STUMP**

Sergeant Eric Elwell, Saanich Police, introduced as an exhibit the shattered stump of the telephone pole torn off by the Boyd car.

Constable William Pearse, Saanich Police described driving the Boyles girl to the hospital. He said he found a tire burn 57 feet 4 inches long left by the Boyd car before the point of impact with the Gaudin machine. He noticed that the telephone pole was 52 feet 9 inches away from the point of impact, and found the road at the crash to be 20 feet 4 inches wide

Joyce Freeman, sixteen Mill Bay, testified that Miss Boyles had been riding in the front seat on the Boyd car. "I saw the lights of a car ahead. I shut my eyes. I did not know there was going to be an accident." Miss Freeman declared.

**HAPPENED FAST**

Edwin D. Bousfield, fifteen, Cobble Hill, said he had also been riding in the front seat of the Boyd car. "The car was going about thirty-five miles per hour. There was a crash. It happened so fast I found myself lying on the road. I was thrown out through an open door," he stated.

Melville Boyd sixteen, brother of the driver, told the jury he had been riding in the rear seat of the car, which was only three days old.

Constable Cecil Pearce, Saanich Police, gave evidence of extensive damage to the Boyd car. He found it had traveled only 357 miles. He noticed a hole 8 by 3½ inches in the windshield

When the name of Kenneth Boyd was called, Herbert W. Davey, counsel, declared his client preferred not to testify, since a charge had been laid by police.

**FATHER TESTIFIES**

Christopher Boyd, father of young Boyd, said his son had a driver's licence which he secured more than a year ago. The boy had been driving a 1936 model car before the new one

Dr. Hart, the coroner, commented that young Boyd had apparently made a quick trip from Shawnigan Lake, had no license to drive his father's new car, and was not driving slowly at the time of the accident. He told the jury members could bring in a verdict of accidental death, manslaughter or death by culpable neglect.

Members of the jury were Claude G. Briggs (foreman), Cameron Bearse, Thomas Cooper, John B. Taylor, Harry Douglas and Stanley E. Scurrah. J. S. Brandon represented Mr. Boyles. Roy Maisse appeared for Mr. Gaudin, and E. L. Tait represented Saanich.

## PRESIDE AT FESTIVALS

Supplied by the Community Drama Branch of the Department of Education, four adjudicators are to preside at as many drama festivals in British Columbia this month.

Major Bullock-Webster will attend at Nanaimo while Leonard Miller will judge the school festival at Victoria. Mrs. Metherington at Quesnel, and Shirley Kerr will preside at Cowpox. The last three named passed the recent examination held in Vancouver.

## *Mrs. M. I. Wilson Passes in City*

Mrs. Mary Isabel Wilson, of Perth, Ont., widow of Herbert J. Wilson, former manager of the Empress Hotel, Victoria, passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital yesterday morning after an illness of several weeks. Mrs. Wilson returned to Perth following the death of her husband here in 1931. She was sixty years of age and was stricken while on her annual visit here. Two sisters, Mrs. J. A. Stewart and Miss M. W. Smith, both of Perth, survive, the latter having arrived here several weeks ago. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 11 o'clock and proceeding to Christ Church Cathedral, where service will be conducted by Ven. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns at 11:15 o'clock, followed by cremation at Royal Oak. The remains will be taken East to rest beside her husband in the family plot at Perth.

## *Obituary*

BAYLISS—At the family residence, 1216 Summit Avenue, on Tuesday, April 8, there passed away Mrs. Mary Jane Bayliss, aged ninety-three years. The late Mrs. Bayliss was born in Warwickshire, England, and had been a resident of this city for thirty years. Mrs. Bayliss was an active worker in the Red Cross and a member of the St. Saviour's Church Victoria West Her passing was a great loss to Mrs. Bayliss, at home; three sons, William, Vancouver; Frederick, Oakland, Cal.; and Walter, in England, two sisters, Mrs. F. Fox, Saanichton, and Mrs. J. Tompkins, in England; one brother Fred Smith, of this city; also five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. The remains are at the parlors of the deceased, from where the corteg will leave on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock for St. Saviour's Church, where Rev. A. B. Lord will conduct the funeral service at 3:30 o'clock. Burial will be in Ross Bay Cemetery. Bands Mortuary, Ltd., has charge of arrangements.

NIVEN—There passed away on Monday, April 7 at the family residence, 1090 Fairfield Drive, Dean Campbell Niven, aged sixty-four years. Mr. Niven was born in Scotland, and is survived by his wife and one son; also brothers in Scotland. He was a veteran of the Great War. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel at 3.30 o'clock. Interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

CALDWELL — Robert Caldwell, aged sixty-four years, of 3231 Cook Street, died at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday. The late Mr. Caldwell was born in Colerain, Ireland, and had been a resident of Victoria for thirty-one years. He is survived by his widow three daughters, Mrs. F. W. Fuller, 940 Fairfield Road; Mrs. R. Wilson, Nanaimo, and Miss Kathleen, at home, and one son, Robert John, of 1093 Princess Avenue; also four grandchildren; one brother in Australia and one brother in Ireland; a sister in Alberta and a sister in Portland, Oregon. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel. Rev. F. W. Anderson will conduct the service and interment will be in Colwood Burial Park

SWALLOW—Funeral services for Thomas Wright Swallow were held yesterday morning in St. John's Church, Colwood. Rev. P. J. Disney conducted the service during which the hymn "Unto the Hills" was sung. Interment was in Colwood Burial Park and the following were pallbearers: T. F. Swallow, A. Allen, Clyde C. O. Swallow, R. V. Robinson and W. Yeates.

WILCOX—Rev. D. M. Perley will conduct last rites at the Sands Mortuary Chapel this afternoon at 2 o'clock for Mrs. Matilda Wilcox. Interment will be at Royal Oak

LOCK — Funeral services for George Lock will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the parlors of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Pastor T. S. Bovett will officiate and interment will take place in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

MOFFAT — There passed away yesterday at the residence Mount Edward Apartments, Isabella Macintosh Moffat, wife of Adam Fairfax Moffat, in her seventieth year. She was born in Duns, Scotland, and had been a resident of Victoria since 1907. Besides her husband, she leaves one son, Robert McFall, and one daughter, Mrs. Earle Heald, also one sister, Mrs. O. W. Edgard, all in Victoria and one brother, Tom Crowe, in Toronto. Funeral services will be held in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m., Rev. J. L. W. McLeod, minister of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, officiating, followed by cremation at Royal Oak

KIDD—The funeral of Andrew Beveridge Kidd will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. Interment at Ross Bay. Canon E. B. Bird will officiate.

JOHNSON — The death occurred yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital of Mrs. Mary Ellen Johnson, widow of Ernest D. Johnson, of 1476 Gladstone Avenue, age sixty years. She was born in Claremont, Ont., and had been living in this city for twenty-two years. She leaves one son, Captain J. D. Johnson; and two daughters, the Misses Kathryn and Jean Johnson, of Victoria. Funeral services will be held in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 2 p.m., followed by cremation at Royal Oak

BOYLES—A large congregation was present at the funeral of Miss Doreen May Boyles, held yesterday afternoon from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. J. L. W. McLeod was conducting the service. Mrs. Adele Ramsey rendered the solos, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" and "Abide With Me." A profusion of beautiful floral offerings surrounded the casket. The following were the pallbearers: Edward Midgley, Douglas Hunt, Robert Scales, G. Barry, Robert Inkham and J. Motherwell. Interment was in Colwood Burial Park.

# *Chest Colds*
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# TO MAKE CHECK ON CANVASSING

### School Inspector Will Investigate Collections Being Taken From Students

George H. Deane, municipal school inspector, will investigate an alleged multiplicity of collections being taken up in schools for various purposes, it was decided at a meeting of the City school Board last night.

The matter came up when Trustee Austin L. Curtis asked what arrangements existed for collections at schools. He believed too much canvassing was being done at the present time.

Mr. Deane said authority of the board office must be obtained for any collections to be taken from school pupils. No request for any such collection had been made for some time. Except for the Junior Red Cross activity and the sale of War Savings Stamps which were governed by individual school arrangements, no authorization had been given for any other appeal for subscriptions from children.

The feeling of board members was that children should not be solicited. It all came back to the parents in the end, and it was embarrassing for children whose parents could not afford to supply them with the required subscription.

The school inspector promised to look into the matter immediately

**SALARY INCREASES**

Dealing with a request from the Victoria School Board Employees Association for a cost of living increase, Trustee Mrs. Dorothy Preston-Thomas P. G. Mulliner pointed out this matter was in the hands of the Council, and he expected school board employees would receive the same consideration as had been extended to city employees

In response to a request from Dr. S. J. Willis, superintendent of education, the board agreed to grant the use of Victoria High School for the Summer school of Education and Victoria College for examination purposes.

Trustee Mrs. A. S. Churtle reported that the three best posters submitted in the recent competition held among private and public school students to advertise the sale of War Savings Stamps, would be sent to Prime Minister Churchill and twelve others to Ottawa. Two racks of them would be on display at the Parent-Teachers' meeting here next week, and most of them would be exhibited at the Fall Fair this year. The board commended Mrs. Churtle for her work in organizing the competition.

Three invitations from Victoria West, George Jay and Oaklands Schools, were received by trustees to attend school concerts this evening. Members of the board will split their representation among the schools concerned.

The board endorsed the action of the buildings and grounds committee accepting tenders for painting and kalsomining as follows: High School, gymnasium, Blanchard & Co., $185; South Park, domestic science room, Melrose Company, $65; Bolt, Hood & Co., $65; Mount Edwards, on painting Kingston Street and Spring Ridge schools was deferred until the Summer vacation

The building and grounds committee will consult with the city engineer as to what can be done about improving drainage on rural school grounds. The matter was raised by Trustee Curtis, who said he had noticed students standing on sidewalks rather than walk on grounds strewn with pools of water a day after rain had fallen.

## *Mounted Police Pay Is Increased*

OTTAWA, April 8 (CP). — Justice Minister Lapointe today announced an increase in pay of personnel of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police The increases, dating from April 1, 1941, range from 36 cents a day for constables and corporals, 75 cents a day for sergeants and staff-sergeants, to $1.25 a day for assistant commissioners.

The announcement was made in the House of Commons where, some weeks ago, there was a general acquiescence by all parties that the R.C.M.P. receive increases and members applauded the news.

## MUSICAL PROGRAMME AT CENTRAL BAPTIST

An evening of music will be presented tonight in the Central Baptist Church, Pandora Avenue, at 7:45 o'clock.

Young musicians of exceptional talent will render selections from the great masters, including an instrumental piano, cello and violin trio, piano duets and solos and vocal solos. An offering will be taken for the Red Cross

**THISTLES TO TRAIN**

A workout of the Saanich Thistles football team will be held at the Athletic Park tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Following players are asked to turn out: Saunders, Underwood, Sims, Gibbons, M. Speller, L. Speller, Pettibourne, Robbins, Macdonald, Fuller, Holness, Minnis, Peers and Anderson.


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## TO REGISTER CROWN LEASES

**Special Facilities to Be Established at Vancouver Dealing With Lands**

Registration of Crown leases, sub-leases and other interests on harbor front property, in dispute between the Dominion and Provincial Governments for some years, was brought to settlement yesterday, when the Provincial Government announced fresh means of registration would be opened at Vancouver.

By order in council, the Province arranged to open a special register for crown leases at the Mainland city, which will take care of Burrard Inlet and other leases held on tidewater. Sub-leases, assignments and mortgages may also be registered.

The move concerns the registration of legal rights, short of title, to lands held from the Crown, but momentarily in other hands.

## GIVES NOTICE OF NEW REGULATIONS

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budget, and to the future and will not be retroactive.

The proposed amendments announced today provide:

1. The standard period for computing standard prewar profits for all companies will be calendar years 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939. Under the present law it is the four fiscal years of the taxpayers corresponding to those years. In the case of a company whose fiscal year ended July 1, this pushed the standard period back into the middle of 1935.

2. Standard profits may be computed from the data of actual start of business instead of the legal start.

3. Taxpayers who have not very bad year in the standard period may have it out of account in computing standard profits. If the profits on one year is less than 50 per cent of the average of the others, the average of the other years may be taken as the standard profit.

4. In no case shall the standard profit be less than $5,000. The act already provides that excess profits are not collectable unless the taxpayer's income in the tax year is $5,000 or more

**SIMPLIFIED ADMINISTRATION**

The amendment is designed to simplify administration, doing away with the need of computing standard profits in numerous small buiness of revenue.

The effect will be that every business liable to excess profits tax will start with a standard profit of $5,000 with comparatively little loss least $5,000, Mr. Ilsley said.

5. Provision for advancements of standard profits by increases or decreases in depreciation allowances or other charges is done away with. Mr. Ilsley said cases of hardship could be relieved by order in council. Under the old provision a taxpayer could claim an adjustment by stating that a charge made in the standard period was not necessarily in the taxation period, be applied to the reduction of taxable profits.

**TAXPAYER HAS OPTION**

6. Where capital in a business is increased or decreased, adjustments are to be made at a fixed rate of 7½ per cent on the capital change, provided that if new capital to the extent of 33⅓ per cent has been added the taxpayer has the option of being considered a new business and applying to the board of referees for a determination of the standard profit base

7. In computing standard profits in such cases the board has sole discretion in fixing a rate equal to the average rate of return of taxpayers in similar circumstances engaged in the same or an analogous class of business

8. A depressed business applying to have a standard profit determined shall itself compute a standard profit and pay the tax based on it, fixing the standard at not more than 10 per cent on the capital employed.

Under the present provision such taxpayers apply to the board of referees. Now they are required to estimate the standard profit themselves. If the Department of National Revenue does not want to accept the taxpayer's submission it may have the standard profits determined by the board.

9. Power is to be given the board of referees to ascertain standard profits of new and depressed businesses on some scale other than capital employed where the capital is so small that the capital basis would result in undue hardship, extreme discrimination, or jeopardize the existence of the business.

**DECLINES IN VALUES**

10. In providing against a decline in inventory values a taxpayer may compute inventory values on prices prevailing either at the end of 1939 or during August, 1939. As the act stands, the end of 1939 must be taken. The amendment is designed to meet cases in which prices rise from the start of the war to December.

11. The excess profits tax will not reduce the income of the profit of the taxpayer below $5,000. Under the provision as it stands the 75 per cent excess profits tax would reduce the net profit of a taxpayer whose profits were just over $5,000 to the minimum figure

12. Provision is made to allow for excess profits paid by a taxpayer to other countries which allow a reciprocal deduction with respect to Canadian-paid taxes.

13. The definition of "capital" is to be amended to require deduction from original asset values of all depreciation reserves. This, Mr. Ilsley said, is to avoid technical analysis of varying depreciation reserves taken by companies in years of profits and losses.

**INVESTED CAPITAL**

14. The definition of capital is also to be amended to allow non-interest bearing loans of a permanent character from parent to subsidiary companies to be treated as invested capital.

15. An amendment will make clear that the deduction of one half of dividends paid in a taxation year from capital employed applies only to cash dividends and not to stock dividends which do not reduce the amount of capital.

16. All these proposals will apply to profits of 1940 and succeeding years.

17. Every person liable to pay an excess profits tax has until April 30, 1941, to estimate his tax and pay it. After that interest on taxes unpaid will be charged at the same rate as under the Income War Tax Act.

Officials described this as "the greatest procedural change in the act." Now the taxpayers the onus of making returns and computations. Their own taxes instead of leaving it to the department to compute the tax after a return is filed as the ilsley said under the standard profits claims had been filed to date. Under the new procedure those who had filed their returns would have to complete their tax-assessed profits and taxes payable, file the computation and pay the tax.

"The only people with which we are here concerned are not essentially revenue matters, but are rather in the nature of improvements in the structure of the legislation for the purpose of removing inequities and anomalies," said Mr. Ilsley.

## LONDON HAS LITTLE NEWS

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While Yugoslav airports are about the best in the Balkans, they apparently are poorly defended against the German bombing. It was pointed out.

Salonika, Aegean Sea port at the mouth of the Vardar, was declared officially to be "temporarily unimportant to military operations" because of its vulnerability to air attack.

At the same time these sources said they were not particularly concerned over the German thrust to the sea through Thrace severing most of Greece from Turkey.

Thrace, they said is a worthless without control of the sea.

**PARTY AT QUALICUM**

In honor of Miss Myrtle Williams, whose marriage to Mr. Fred Krog takes place tomorrow at St. Anne's Church, French Creek, a miscellaneous shower was held in the Coombe Hall on Saturday evening by her many friends in the community. The large collection of gifts was drawn into the hall on a decorated wagon by Misses Ann and Sally Bailey, of Coombe, who were dressed as "Easter Bunnies." The bride and groom-to-be received seated on a bower decorated with crepe and Easter flowers. John Golding, F. Morrison and Neil Van Horn supplied the music of the evening. Mrs. J. Darnborough sang "You Are My Sunshine" and Mr. J. Darnborough gave a reading on "How to Cook a Husband." Refreshments were served and the bride-to-be distributed to the guests a piece of "shower cake." Dancing concluded the entertainment of the evening. Mr. O. Ward conducted the ceremonies.

## Announcements

**Victoria Musical Art Society** presents Frank Drake Davison in musical lecture, entitled "Robert Schumann — Musician, Essayist; Robert Browning—Poet, Musician." Assisted by Dorothy Parsons, pianist and Meguinis Daniels, (accompanist) in Empress Hotel Ball room on Wednesday, April 9, at 8.30. Guest tickets, 50 cents.

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**Ben Bow Inn and Coffee House**, Qualicum Beach, open April 3 Special off-season rates. European plan until May 18.

**New Location** of Anderson Furriers, 723 Fort Street, formerly at 102 Hibben-Bone Bldg. Furs repaired and remodeled.

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## City & District

**No Widening**—In a letter to the City Council, the Oak Bay Council stated that Cadboro Bay Road would not be widened this year.

**Dress Rehearsal**—Members of the "Art a Mo" concert party are asked to attend a full dress rehearsal this evening at 6 o'clock at the Army and Navy Veterans' Club, Wharf Street.

**Car Recovered** — An automobile stolen from Wilson & Cabeldu, Ltd., 1017 Yates Street, and reported abandoned yesterday morning at the intersection of Burnside Road and Island Highway.

**Orance Canceled**—The usual Friday night dance held at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium for men of the three services will be cancelled this week owing to the holiday, the city civic entertainment committee stated.

**Joint Tourist Council**—C. D. Orchard, chief forester for the Province, was made a member of the Provincial Tourist Council yesterday by Provincial order in council, filling a vacancy on that body caused by the death of the late Ernest C. Manning.

**On Insurance Board**—Reappointments to the Insurance Board of British Columbia were announced yesterday at the Legislative Buildings, as follows: William R. Sloan, Donavan Allen, James T. Armstrong, and J. P. McBeath, all of Vancouver.

**City Temperatures** — Maximum and minimum temperatures recorded yesterday at the Dominion Meteorological Observatory on Gonzales Hill were 54 and 45 degrees, respectively. The maximum temperature observed in the grounds of the Strathcona Hotel was 56 degrees and the minimum 46 degrees.

**Six Fined**—A woman motorist was fined $25 yesterday in the city police court for driving in a manner dangerous to the public. Three were each fined $2.50 for infractions of various parking regulations. Fines of $10 were imposed in each of two cases of exceeding the speed limit and failing to slow down at a school zone

**Fuel Estimates**—At a meeting of the Saanich Police Commission last night, estimates for the current year totaling $17,000 were adopted. This was an increase of about $600 over last year. Because the department's equipment was a year older, it was estimated it would cost an extra $1,000 to maintain it. Part of the increase in wages accounted for an additional $280.

**Storage Plant**—Application for an order that leasehold interests of the Victoria Cold Storage & Terminal Warehouse Co., Ltd., and George T. Porter be sold to satisfy a mechanic's lien held by the Triangle Storage, Ltd., was made by W. Percy Macrhant before Judge H. H. Shandley in County Court Chambers yesterday morning. The hearing was postponed.

**Accept Tenders**—Tenders of the National Motor Co. Ltd., to supply a new police patrol and a sedan model automobile were accepted by the police commission yesterday afternoon. The commission also accepted a tender of Davis-Drake Motors, Ltd., for another sedan. A Brockiands Motorcycle Works' tender for a motorcycle was accepted.

**Print Exhibition**—At a meeting of the Victoria Photographic Association, it was decided to hold a print exhibit open to the public, from May 5 to 10, and Victoria's first International salon of photography during the month of October. At the close of the business meeting, a number of salon prints by Portlanders, Vancouver, were exhibited and colored movies of Northern British Columbia was shown by Dick Colby.

**Presentation Made** — Kenneth Lawson, who is leaving the city treasurer's office to enter the audit department of the Provincial Government, was presented with a brief case and traveling bag by members of the City Hall staff yesterday afternoon. D. A. Macdonald, comptroller and treasurer, tendered the gifts. Mr. Lawson also received a signed memorial volume from the best of luck and good health.

**B.C. Appointments**—Dr. Richard Gibson, of Port Wallington, was appointed medical health officer for Pender Island; Dr. E. W. Brown, of Rock Bay, medical health officer at Rock Bay, and Gordon S. Hopkins, of Hopkins Landing, and Samuel Copeland, of Okanagan Centre, justices of peace for the Province, yesterday. Two more provincial elections commissioners were named in Delta, Nelson-Creston, Revelstoke, Dewdney, Burnaby, Salmon Arm, and Victoria City ridings.

*Conservatives Will Meet This Evening*

A meeting will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock at 872 Fort Street of the central executive of the Provincial Conservative Association. The general meeting is called for further notice.

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# In Woman's Realm

## Christian Church Is Unifying Factor in Distracted World

**Miss Laura Pelton, Toronto, Tells Women's Missionary Society of Personal Sacrifices That Have to Be Faced Before Victory**

THE statement of some people that the church "is all washed up and outmoded" was derived from ignorance of the work of the church "based on a narrow understanding of a little bit they didn't like or which embarrassed their consciousness," said Miss Laura Pelton, of Toronto, promotion secretary of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, during the course of her address at the opening session of the annual convention of the British Columbia Provincial W.M.S. last night.

She pointed out the importance of always visualizing the missionary work of the church as a world-wide movement, for she said, "the church exists in practically every inhabited part of the world today," and she went on to show how its influence was increasing, mentioning specifically such countries as China, Japan, India and Africa.

**UNIFYING AGENCY**

"Across the barriers of race and nationality and in spite of the hostilities of war, the church is the one unifying agency, and from its branches in all parts of the world come communications showing that this unity is perhaps more real today than ever before." Miss Pelton declared. The countries of Europe which had served as the material and spiritual headquarters for mission churches throughout the world had suddenly been cut off on account of the present chaotic state, and these countries were turning to the North American Continent for help.

**A CHALLENGE**

"We have not yet been called upon to face persecution, though one wonders why not. We have not yet been bombed, we may still see what we like, and to us the churches across the seas are saying 'what is the state of your Christian character?' Surely we are willing to face personal sacrifice in order that when peace has been won a full righteous victory may be ours because the church in Canada and in the United States was willing to sacrifice while they in the Old World were suffering persecution," Miss Pelton said.

**DINNER MEETING**

The evening session started with dinner in the lecture hall. Mrs. F. J. Alloo, president of the Victoria Presbyterial, welcoming the delegates who were here from the Mainland and Up-Island. Mrs. W. L. Clay presented corsage bouquets to Mrs. W. A. McLennan, of Toronto, past vice-president of the council executive; to Miss Pelton, Toronto; Mrs. F. J. Alloo, Mrs. W. J. White honorary provincial president, and Mrs. W. H. MacInnes, provincial president. A message of greeting were read by Miss Sohl White, Vancouver, corresponding secretary, from Mrs. Mutchmor, Toronto; Mrs. Harold Gordon, who is at present in Honolulu, and from the president of Columbia Diocesan W.A. of the Church of England in Canada, Mrs. Marrion, representing the Provincial W.M.S.; Miss Orsie Baker, of the United Church's W.M.S.; Mrs. Roy Hyde, on behalf of the Presbyterian Church Synod, all bringing greetings and a letter was read from the W.C.T.U. as well as messages from the W.M.S in Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Ontario.

**EQUIMALT HOUSE**

Rev. J. L. W. Maclean spoke a few words on behalf of the Sunday school and young people, the committee of the synod and Moderator of the Presbyterian Church. A tribute to the value of Equimalt House, the recreation centre for the men of the services which is supported by the Presbyterian Church was given by Capt. the Rev. J. Munro, chaplain. Mrs. Smith, representing the Kamloops-Okanagan Branch of the W.M.S.; Mrs. J. W. Dew, of Creston, B.C., representing the Kootenay Branch, and Mrs. R. Pollock of New Westminster, each said a few words.

Mrs. W. A. McLennan, in her address to the delegates at a meeting held in the church after dinner review the past year's work and congratulated the W.M.S. upon its efforts. She reminded the delegates of the importance of maintaining a broad outlook "if we are to help in the construction of a great Canadian nation." The fact that the past year had been even more satisfactory than the previous year was shown she said, "a great loyalty to the things to which we are pledged."

Mrs. J. A. Kennedy, who is an honorary life member of the St. Andrew's Branch of the W.M.S., gave a welcome to the delegates on behalf of the church. Mrs. Lister sang a solo, "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes." Mr. Cyril Warren at the organ.

St. John's Church Is Scene of Ceremony

—Photo by Campbell

**MR. AND MRS. RON FLAVELLE**

WHO were married recently at St. John's Church. The bride was the former Phyllis Audrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Hunt, of Saskatoon, Sask. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Flavelle, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Farmer were the attendants. A reception was held after the ceremony for immediate friends and relations, and during the evening telegrams of congratulations were received from many of their friends in Saskatoon.

The dinner arrangements last evening were in charge of Mrs. J. P. Dempsey, and she and her committees were heartily thanked.

This morning's session will start at 10 o'clock and will continue throughout the day, the Young People's Branch having their meeting this evening.

## Clubs—Societies

**W.B.A. Review**

The regular meeting of the Women's Benefit Association, Review No. 1, was held in the Royal Bank Hall on Monday evening with Mrs. Stephen presiding. Financial reports were read showing a splendid bank balance at the end of March. A report was given of a recent sewing meeting held at the home of Mrs. Coates. The next sewing meeting is to be held at Mrs. A. Malcolm's home, 1215 Stanley Avenue, on April 21, with Members S. McNeil, A. Davis and E. Addison assisting the hostess. Mrs. A. Barraclough, who convened the card party held at the last meeting, reported that it realized which will be used for war work. Plans were completed for the "Mothers and Daughters Banquet" being held this evening at 6.30 p.m. in the Orange Hall, Courtney Street, with Dr. Annie Reynolds, supreme medical examiner; Mrs. Laura LeCallec, provincial health supervisor, and Mrs. Caroline O'Brien, provincial field director, as the honored guests. The next meeting will be in charge of the next social meeting on April 21 when various card games will be played. Members are requested to bring table covers and cards. The Junior Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Pomeroy, 1236 Montrose Avenue, on April 18 at 8 o'clock. Members regretted to learn that one of their number living on the West Coast, had lost her home through fire. It was decided to send her a pair of blankets from the Review and a shower will be held for this member at the banquet when household articles will be acceptable.

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**Air Services W.A.**

The Women's Auxiliary to the Air Services met yesterday afternoon at the Y.M.C.A. with the president, Mrs. R. H. McDougall, in the chair. A nominating committee of five was chosen Mrs. R. S. Cromble, Mrs. C. Jones, Mrs. H. Henderson, Mrs. S. Hobbis and Mrs. J. Ross. The convener in charge of the sale of coat hangers reported the sum of $18.94 realized to date. A further appeal was made for coat hook hangers in good condition. Mrs. C. Trevarrin, R.7941, is in charge. Mrs. R. H. Kennedy reported the sum of $60 raised by the telephone bridge held during March. A dressed plate quilt, made by wives of airmen, has been donated to the auxiliary as a prize for the contest being organized. Mrs. M. Eaton and Mrs. P. Spencer were appointed to arrange the drive and tea for the contest to be held on Sunday, April 27. Four new members were welcomed, and tea was served at the close of the meeting by the executive.

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**First United W.A.**

There was a large attendance at the quarterly meeting of the Women's Association of First United Church, which was held in the church hall on Monday at 3.30 p.m., the president, Mrs. W. S. Dawson, in the chair, and the devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. J. R. Schroeder. Mrs. R. Nash sang "Open the Gates of the Temple" and "I Remember Calvary." The different groups reported on their plans for the late Spring and early Fall. The Royal Cubit Group announced its annual tea, to be held at the home of Miss Alice Mundale, 1012 Johnson Street, on Wednesday, April 16. In the immediate future there will be the May tea of the Oak Bay Group on May 2, with Mrs. Fred McGregor, 3126 Cranite Street, and the Monroe Bay tea at First United Church on May 7, under the auspices of the Fairfield group. At the close of the meeting tea was served under the direction of Mrs. G. S. Clifford.

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**A. and N. Veterans' W.A.**

The W.A. to the Army and Navy Veterans held a successful "motions for Britain" tea at the home of Mrs. F. Richardson, Grant Street, recently. About 175 articles being donated and several cash donations. Mrs. Welsh, Mrs. Moody and Mrs. Richardson had charge of the tea arrangements, and Mrs. Atkinson the contest. Cards were played in the evening. Mr. Berry and Mrs. Hutton were the prize winners. Mr. Berry winning the contest. A card game will be held tomorrow evening in Room 301 Union Building, and the monthly meeting will take place on Monday.

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**Business and Professional Club**

The regular dinner meeting of the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club was held at the Douglas Hotel on Monday. The solo was Mrs. Nash. Miss Alice McLeod gave a talk on "Needlecraft," explaining the different stitches and their development. The talk was illustrated by pictures of different types of needlecraft, which were examined by the club members. Miss Edie Richardson expressed the thanks of the club to the soloist and speaker. The members were reminded that the club will hold a party at the clubrooms on Wednesday, April 23. They were also reminded of the decorated ladies' display at the Empress Hotel on April 26 which this year is being sponsored by the Junior W.A. of the Jubilee Hospital.

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**Elks' Club W.A.**

The W.A. to the Elks' Club will meet at 8 p.m. tomorrow. The president, Mrs. F. V. Milton, will be in the chair. Information may be obtained by telephoning the secretary, Mrs. T. W. Oscarz E.1151.

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**Fidelis Group**

The monthly meeting of the Fidelis group of Metropolitan Church was held recently at the home of Mrs. A. J. Daniels, 1345 Rockland Avenue. Mrs. R. J. Crosby Smith, the president, was in the chair. Mrs. W. P. Freeman led the devotional period and gave a talk. Mrs. Sidney Phillips sang a delightful solo. Mrs. Albert Sullivan read the "White Cliffs." Miss Edna Rossiter expressed the thanks of the group to both Mrs. W. P. Freeman and Mrs. Albert Sullivan, also to Mrs. Daniels for the social hour. The group will have charge of the men's supper meeting, to be held April 21. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. James Oakman, 3186 McNeill Avenue.

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**Britannia Branch W.A.**

The Women's Auxiliary to Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, will hold its card social tomorrow at 8 p.m. in the board room. Court and whist and cribbage will be played and refreshments will be served.

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**Artillery W.A.**

The W.A. to the Royal Canadian Artillery will hold a special meeting at the home of Mrs. E. Bayliss, 946 Lampson Street, tonight at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

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**Esquire Ministry W.A.**

The Esquire Ministry W.A. will meet tomorrow at 3.15 p.m. at the home of Mrs. O. Mayne, 1373 Fernwood Road.

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**Theta-Rho Club**

The regular meeting of the Beaver Theta-Rho Girls' Club will be held on Friday at 7.30 o'clock.

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BLADE OR ROUND-BONE ROASTS (POT) lb. 19c
BRISKET or PLATE BEEF lb. 12c
RUMP or ROLLED RIB POT ROASTS lb. 24c
ROLLED (OVEN) PRIME RIBS ROASTS lb. 32c
MINCED SHOULDER STEAK lb. 23c

COTTAGE ROLLS Tenderized, Whole lb. 28c
PICNIC SHOULDERS Tenderized lb. 19c
BACON ½-lb. Cello each 15c
TURKEYS Frozen, 6-8 lbs. average lb. 27c

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ALL-BRAN Kellogg's. pkg each 20c

PUFFS Kleenex. pkg each 6c
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PEANUTS Planters. 4-oz. tin each 19c
DOG FOOD Ken-L-Ration. No. 1's. can 3 for 25c
MATCHES Lifebuoy. large boxes 2 for 15c
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RINSO pkg each 21c
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## Overseas League Thanks Auxiliary

A letter has been received by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Army and Navy Veterans from the Overseas League in London, acknowledging a gift of over 1,000 articles of clothing sent by the auxiliary through the Victoria branch of the Overseas League for thanking the auxiliary for the garments, the secretary wrote of the happiness the gifts would bring to those who had lost everything as a result of Nazi bombardments.

## ENGAGEMENTS

**GARRICK-SHOPLAND**

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Shopland, Oaklano Island, announce the engagement of their daughter, Norah Beatrix, to Mr. Peter Leslie Garrick, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Garrick, Mayne Island. The wedding will take place at Mayne Island early in May.

**HE KNEW SIGNS**

Wife (sorrowfully)—I've just received a letter from poor dear mamma. She says she is feeling very seedy.

Husband (with a grunt)—I suppose that means she is going to plant herself on us.


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# Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

## Social and Personal

**Celebrate Wedding Anniversary**

Mr and Mrs. Robert Petigrew, Pandora Avenue, celebrated the fifty-fifth anniversary of their wedding on Monday, when they were at home at supper at a delightful evening reception at their home. Only their own family there were four generations represented, Mrs. L. Christopherson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Petigrew, and her daughter, Mrs. W. Atkinson, with little Diana Atkinson. Mr. and Mrs. Petigrew were married in 1886 at Verney, Oxfordshire, and most of the guests present on Monday evening were Ontario people also from Grey County. Mrs. G. Twamley read an address to the guests of honor, and Mrs. E. Smith presented them with a gift on behalf of those present. Mrs. Petigrew received their many friends for all the messages and congratulations they had received. The supper table was covered with a lace cloth, encired with a wedding cake and during supper Mr. W. B. Saunders, who was more than eighty-five, proposed the toast and Mr. Petigrew responded. The evening was spent in old songs and reminiscences, and ended with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne." Those present were Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Twamley, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. C. MacKechnie, Mr. C. Reed, Mrs. A. Blatch, Mrs. F. Smith, Mrs. C. Hasting, Mrs. D. Knowles, Mrs. A. Christopherson, Miss V. Twamley, Mr. C. Kelth, Mr. Gary Twamley, Mr. A. Twamley, Mrs. W. Atkinson and baby Diana.

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"NO FUNNY BUSINESS"
STARRING LAURENCE OLIVIER GERTRUDE LAWRENCE
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TODAY and THURSDAY!
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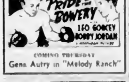
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JON HALL
Star of "The Hurricane"
"SOUTH OF PAGO PAGO"
With FRANCES FARMER
PLUS — MYSTERY
CLAIRE TREVOR
IN
"BIG TOWN GIRL"
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# EXTEND DRIVE TO APRIL 15

## Over $67,000 Pledged in Greater Victoria War Services Campaign

With subscriptions in the Greater Victoria War Services Fund Campaign well above $67,000, it has been announced by Colonel J. P. Fell ... paign in this province will be continued until April 15 and longer wherever necessary.

Major-General A. D. McRae, national chairman in Toronto, advised Colonel Fell that the campaign in the east had been extended until April 12.

The extension was made in this province because of the short time allowed for organization in many of the outlying districts.

Final figures on the Victoria drive had not been computed last night, but the morning total of $67,271.09, indicated that the campaign was steadily nearing its quota of $75,000.

STILL TO REPORT

Yesterday officials declared that canvassers in charge of the central committee reported there were still a number of firms doing business in this city with head offices in other parts of the Dominion, that had not yet been heard from.

The residential division, under Mrs. J. W. Benning reported $16,136.83 and was the only division to exceed its quota in the local drive. The objective set was $15,500.

The city of Nanaimo, with a quota of $5,500, has passed the $4,000 mark and has its objective in sight. Duncan has reported $2,426.90 and Port Alice, $2,700. Qualicum Beach, with a quota of $500, has already collected $600. Courtenay has pledged $2,000, Cumberland, $1,170; Ladysmith, $700 and Metchosin, $238.

List of subscribers, $10 and over, follows:

Army Supply Stores, Ltd., $10, A. H. Cox, $15, E. H. M. Foot, $10, P. W. Francis, $20, Manning & Shaw Fuels, $10, John Neary $10, Nitinat Lake Logging Co., Ltd., $50, Pie Shop, $10, H. S. Pringle, $15, St. James Hotel, $10, Strathcona Hotel, $60; Toggery Shop $20, Willis Piano Co., $20, Ye Old English Pork Shop, $12.

J. Ash, $10; R. P. Blandy, $10, Dr. J. L. Gayton, $15, J. Hannay, $24, G. J. Jackson, $15, M. Kirkpatrick-Crockett, $10, A. S. G. Musgrave, $10; C. Norman, $10; H. C. F. Reston, $10; D. Ryles, $10, W. Robinson, $15, Thomas Watt, $10, R. L. Challoner, $10, S. Evans, $10.50, Louis Glazan, $10; P. A. Gibbs, $18; Alex W. Millar, $25; Ryan-Wilson Co., $25; C. F. Rau, $10.50, Terry's Ltd., $10; Victoria Baggage Co., $25; Williams, Trerise & Williams, $25.

Miss A. Angus, $25, Miss L. Angus, $100, Douglas Hunter, $50; McLennan, McFeely & Prior, $100, R. A. Petrie, $60; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Reed, $25, Dr. H. E. Ridewood, $25; Justice and Mrs. H. B. Robertson, $50, S. P. Schwengers, $25, Victoria Longshoremen's Association, $200.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Anderson, $10; Mrs. Ernest Beckton, $10, Mrs. R. P. Blandy, $12. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cox, $10; Agnes M. Ellis, $10; B. L. Archibald Harris, $10; Mrs. E. M. Hewitt, $25. Mr. and Mrs. C. Hudson, $10; Miss E. A. Jones, $10, Mrs. Stephen Jones, $25, Miss Marion, $10; Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Nolte $10, Miss J. K. Peters, $10; "In Memory," $25; Captain W. Wingate, $10.

The Misses I. M. and J. L. Bowden, $50, Miss Kathleen Everest, $10, C. A. Gill, $10. Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hamilton, $10, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Henning, $25, Mrs. W. L. McIntosh, $15. Mr. and Mrs. James Mavor, $50; Mr. Mawer, $25, J. Powley, $100, University School, $25.

## Court of Appeal

### Victoria Sittings

The April sittings opened yesterday morning with four criminal and two civil appeals on the list. Several motions were heard and a number of Vancouver judgments rendered.

The appeal was allowed in Smith et al. vs. Woodward et al. This reversed Morrison, C.J.S.C., dismissing an appeal from Mr. Manendes, the Registrar at New Westminster, who allowed to the respondents as executors certain costs paid to their solicitors.

In Quarcetti vs. Tranquilli an appeal from an order of Judge Lennox dismissing an application by the judgment debtor, Tranquilli, setting aside a garnishee order was allowed.

Judgment was given in favor of Arthur George Elvin, reversing Mr. Justice Manson, who refused the appellant's application for access to his infant daughter, the custody of the child having been given to the mother under a divorce decree.

The Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway & Navigating Company was absolved from any blame in connection with the death of Emma Jacobson, near Ladner, on December 1, 1939. The Chief Justice allowing the appeal stated the deceased was responsible.

The first appeal to come before the court was that of Herbert William Barker (appellant) vs. Westminster Trust Company as executor of the estate of Ethelwynne Adamson Barker, deceased, et al., respondents. G. L. Fraser, Esq., K.C., appears for the appellant and H. J. Sullivan, K.C. for the respondent Trust Company. J. A. McGeer appears as counsel and solicitor for the beneficiaries.

This appeal is from a judgment of Mr. Justice Manson refusing an application made by the appellant under the Testator's Family Maintenance Act for relief from his wife's estate, which was left wholly to her nephews and nieces. The estate amounted to about $17,000.

The appeal remains at bar today.

NOT BOASTFUL

A Scots girl obtained a situation in the South. One day her mistress asked her what particular part of Scotland she came from.

"I come from near Aberdeen," was the reply.

"Oh," said her mistress, "I'm sorry you didn't tell me so before. I had some friends staying there, and I would have asked you if you knew them."

"It's like this," retorted the girl. "When I was leaving home my mother said, 'Dinna boast.'"

# RETIRING VICAR RECEIVES GIFTS

## Parishoners Regret Retirement of Vicar—Japanese Also Make Presentation

Organized by a committee of members from the Salt Spring Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, ... and St. Mary's Guild, Fulford Harbor, a reception was held recently in honor of Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Popham at Harbor House, kindly lent for the occasion by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crofton. About eighty guests were present.

The hall, reception-room and tables were decorated with narcissi, doronicums and other Spring flowers. Tea, under the convenership of Mrs. R. O'Callaghan and Mrs. A. B. Elliot, assisted by several members of the guilds, was served at 3.30 p.m. The long tea table, with its attractive appointments, was centred with a large silver bowl of white tulips, narcissi, white stocks and bluebells; vases of similar flowers were arranged at intervals down the table.

PRESENTATION MADE

After tea, which was poured by Mrs. Price and Mrs. George Maude, Mr. N. W. Wilson, vicar's warden for the parish church of St. Mark's, presented Mr. Popham with a leather wallet and cheque, a gift from the entire parish. Mrs. Popham received a crackleware centrepiece for fruit and a basket of lovely pink tulips, narcissi, white hyacinths and pale mauve Brompton stocks. Miss Catherine Popham was the recipient of a leather-covered scrap album.

Mr. Wilson expressed the regret of the community at the cause which led to Mr. Popham's enforced retirement from active ministry. He conveyed to him the good wishes of the parishioners and expressed the hope that, with rest, his eyesight would improve, or at least the trouble be arrested. Mr. Wilson referred to the pleasure it had afforded the people of Salt Spring to hear that Mr. Popham had decided to make his home amongst them.

JAPANESE EXPRESS THANKS

In a charming little speech, Ruth Hirano thanked Mr. Popham for all he had done for the young Japanese on the island and for the many kindnesses shown them. She expressed the wishes of all their friends for the recovery of his eyesight and called on Mary Murakami to make the presentation of the gift of silver teaspoons, from the young Japanese of Salt Spring.

In replying Mr. Popham sincerely thanked Mr. Wilson and Miss Hirano for their good wishes, the gifts and kind thoughts which prompted them, and also for the generous sympathy extended to him at this time. He stated that he and his family had been anxious to remain on Salt Spring and after the many difficulties of house hunting had finally been delighted to find a suitable property on Ganges Harbor, where they expected very soon to be settled.

## *Oak Bay Church Service Tonight*

A special service in relation to Holy Week will be held tonight in Oak Bay United Church at 8 o'clock, when Rev. J. W. Churchill will deliver the message.

# *Tax By-Laws Approved by Cabinet Here*

Two commissioned areas had their tax rates approved by the Provincial Government yesterday. Burnaby will levy forty-nine mills on all taxable land and on half of taxable improvements. Fernie will levy fifty mills on land, and on 85 per cent of taxable buildings. The district of North Vancouver was given ... lands.

# WATER TRAFFIC TAKEN CARE OF

## Coast Service Arranges for Special Excursions and Extra Sailings

Special excursions between Victoria and Vancouver and extra sailings of the Victoria-Vancouver, Nanaimo-Vancouver and Gulf Islands-Vancouver have been scheduled by the B.C. Coast Service of Canadian Pacific Steamships for the long Easter week-end.

The Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave Victoria at 9 o'clock Friday morning on an all-day special excursion to Vancouver arriving in Vancouver at 2 p.m. and leaving there on the return trip at 5 p.m. In the opposite direction, between Vancouver and Victoria the Ss. Princess Charlotte will leave the Mainland port with an excursion load at 8.30 a.m. reaching Victoria at 1.30 p.m. and departing again at 6 p.m.

In addition to the special excursions the following extra service has been arranged to take care of Easter holiday traffic. The Ss. Princess Charlotte will be an extra night steamer at midnight from Victoria for Vancouver; on Sunday, April 13, Ss. Princess Charlotte will be an extra night steamer at midnight from Vancouver for Victoria; on Monday, April 14, Ss. Princess Elaine will make one extra trip between Nanaimo and Vancouver, sailing at 9 p.m. from the Up-Island port; and on the same date Ss. Princess Kathleen sailing from Victoria at 2 p.m. for Vancouver will stop off Portlock Point about 3.30 p.m. to pick up passengers from Gulf Islands launches.

## DR. G. A. HALL WILL RESIDE IN VICTORIA

NANAIMO, April 8.—The city council last night accepted with regret the resignation of Dr. G. A. B. Hall from the board of appeal under the Town Planning Act.

Dr. Hall, prominent veteran practising physician here and in Nelson for forty years, with Mrs. Hall stated he intended to take up residence in Victoria. He is a past president of Nanaimo Liberal Association, prominent in pioneer and service club groups and the Masonic Order.

Dr. Hall in tendering his resignation after four years' service on the board, said they had handled eighteen appeals of which seven were allowed outright and five disallowed.

LONDON, April 8 (CP).—Bray, half Alsatian, half collie dog, got in trouble for worrying sheep. But he was reprieved at Kettering petty sessions. The reason? He was a survivor of Dunkerque—picked up from the sea by a naval officer aboard a trawler.

# *Huge Project Planned for Saving Water*

SYDNEY, April 8 (AP).—Premier Alexander Mair of New South Wales announced today that the state plans to spend £23,000,000 (about $82,340,000 Canadian) in the next fifteen years on conservation of water resources in the southwest and northwest of the state. He described it as "the greatest development project ever undertaken in Australia."

The plan includes the construction of dams across many of the largest rivers designed to minimize the effects of drought.

PILOT OFFICER KILLED

Pilot Officer M. F. B. Halahan, son of Air Vice-Marshal F. C. Halahan, has been killed in a flying accident.

# At the Theatres

## "BLACKOUT" NOW FILMED AT ATLAS

### Story of Spies and Secret Agents Features Conrad Veidt and Valerie Hobson

"Blackout," the production which brings Conrad Veidt's career up to date, is a story of spies and secret agents. Its locale is the London of today with air raid warnings, the blackout and international provocateurs. Veidt, as its hero, is thoroughly mixed up in the spying activities but no longer as an enemy, instead he is the captain of a neutral Danish ship interned by the contraband control.

The cast of "Blackout," which is headed by Conrad Veidt and Valerie Hobson, includes Hay Petrie, Raymond Lovell, Esmond Knight and Charles Victor.

The film opens today on the screen of the Atlas Theatre.

**CADET THEATRE** Four weeks of strenuous practice came to a climax when Mickey Rooney played the trap drums with an orchestra rendering "Drummer Boy," a composition written by Roger Edens and featuring a spectacular drum solo by Rooney. The number is one of the highlights of "Strike Up the Band," lilting musical of youth, which ends today at the Cadet Theatre.

**CAPITOL THEATRE** The hilarious efforts of a henpecked millionaire to keep his wife from knowing about his entanglements with a trio of mercenary young women, make the basis of "No, No, Nanette," Anna Neagle's latest starring vehicle which is now showing at the Capitol Theatre. The auburn-haired favorite enacts the title-role as the millionaire's helpful niece who makes up her mind to take a hand in the affair and rescue him from his predicament.

**DOMINION THEATRE** "Tall, Dark and Handsome," the new hit film now showing at the Dominion Theatre, packs everything. It has laughs, action, excitement as the boys give out with Tommy guns ... gay romance between suave Cesar Romero and Virginia Gilmore, and brand new music. Others featured in the brilliant cast of the fast-moving picture are Milton Berle, Charlotte Greenwood, Sheldon Leonard and Frank Jenks.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas—Conrad Veidt in "Blackout."
Cadet—"Strike Up the Band," with Mickey Rooney.
Capitol—Anna Neagle in "No, No, Nanette."
Dominion—"Tall, Dark and Handsome," with Cesar Romero.
Oak Bay—Rosalind Russell in "Hired Wife."
Plaza—"Her First Romance," with Edith Fellows.
Rio—Victor McLaglen in "South of Pago Pago."
York—"No Time for Comedy," with James Stewart.

**OAK BAY THEATRE** "Hired Wife," which ends today on the screen of the Oak Bay Theatre, deals with a girl who marries her boss, with whom she is in love, merely to get him out of a business jam. And the comedy rises out of the situations she creates by trying to keep him from the girl he loves.

**PLAZA THEATRE** With Monogram's "Her First Romance," which ends today at the Plaza Theatre, Edith Fellows joins the ranks of such famous ex-child stars as Judy Garland, Jackie Cooper, Mickey Rooney and Bonita Granville, who have successfully made the transition to grown-up roles. Wilbur Evans is co-starred.

**RIO THEATRE** It may surprise you to know that Gene Lockhart, who is featured in Edward Small's "South of Pago Pago," which will end today at the Rio Theatre, is the author of more than 300 radio shows and has written words and music for 100 songs and several revues.

**YORK THEATRE** What goes on behind the scenes of a Broadway stage hit is hilariously divulged in "No Time for Comedy," the James Stewart-Rosalind Russell starring picture which ends today at the York Theatre.

# FISH CANNERIES ARE DESCRIBED

## Historical Society Sees Pictures and Hears Address on Important Provincial Industry

At the regular meeting of the British Columbia Historical Society in the library of the Parliament Buildings Monday night, George S. McTavish gave an interesting lecture on the canning industry of some fifty years ago.

The speaker, who was prominent in the fish canning industry, spoke of the early days of the industry along the British Columbia coast and the difficulties encountered by the pioneers in the work.

He named many of the heads of early canneries, and told of the struggles against raiding and poaching of fishing preserves, and the tribulations suffered by the early attempts at canning.

Following the address by Mr. McTavish, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, president of the association, introduced George J. Alexander, deputy commissioner of fisheries for the province.

Mr. Alexander showed a moving picture of the methods used by fishermen along this coast in catching the salmon, and traced the life of the salmon from the time it is spawned in the fresh water streams along the coast, through its capture, to the cannery, where it is cooked and canned.

He described the details of the work and showed pictures of the constant research undertaken by the large canneries in perfecting their product.


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Grapefruit Juice, Polk's Unsweetened, 20-oz. tins — 2 for 21c
Loganberries, Garden Head, No. 2's squat, at — 2 tins 23c
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Quick Oats, Robin Hood, large pkts. — 2 for 25c
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Only 30 pairs of Dr. Locke's, Cantilevers and Wing Step Shoes. Personal shopping only. No exchanges, please! Broken sizes ... if yours is here, it's an exceptional bargain. Special — 4.95
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Men's Odd Trousers
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Men's Clothing, Street Floor at THE BAY

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Penman's make in ideal Summer weight with button front. Handle stitched. White. Sizes 36, 38 and 40. Regular $1.50. Special — 98c

Men's Comfortable Socks
Smart patterns in grey, brown, blue and green. Neat fitting. Reinforced at heel and toe. Sizes 10 to 11½. Special — 2 prs. 49c

Men's Handkerchiefs
Full Size Cotton Handkerchiefs in plain white and with colored borders. Will launder well. Special — 3 for 25c

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8 Only, sturdy tweeds. Coat and 2 shorts fully lined. Blue, green or brown. Sizes 25 to 29. Special — 5.29
Boys' Wear, Street Floor at THE BAY

# BRUINS TAKE TWO-GAME LEAD IN CUP PLAY-OFF

## Referee Donovan Stops Louis Mix In Ninth Session

**Packed Arena Cheers Gallant Tony Musto for His Stand Against Brown Bomber—Challenger Is Badly Sliced Up When End Comes—Buddy Baer Stops Galento in Seventh**

By AIN PIZER
Associated Press Sports Writer

ST. LOUIS, April 8 (CP). — Joe Louis put another victim on the chopping block tonight, but it wasn't nearly as easy to carve this one up.

Scrappy Tony Musto, who fights out of a crouch so low that his nose comes close to making contact in the ring, lasted up to 1:36 of the ninth round before the Bomber stopped him and chalked him up as the sixteenth unsuccessful challenger to the world heavyweight championship.

Not only that but the chunky Chicago challenger was not on the floor at the finish. As a jumpy crowd of 20,000 cheered, referee Donovan—eyeball imported from New York—stepped in and halted the contest to save Tony further punishment.

Altogether although he never had a chance to pull the crowd from its seats again, the Louis hitting knocked Musto was floored only once. A short left hook caught him off balance in the third and set him down. He was up at a count of nine however, and never was dropped again.

**PLENTY OF BLOOD**

At the end, however Tony was a well-worn warrior. His nose was dripping blood from the middle round on and his right eye was just a red fissure on his face. His blood smeared both of them at the end of each of the last four rounds.

As it has been on a few recent shows in the past, the crouch again bothered Joe. He was throwing punches all the time, but he rarely was able to open his mon up and pressure him for the Sunday kill.

Coupled with a crouch was Musto's ability to take it, and a nasty little habit of suddenly leaping out of his crowding crouch to whang left hooks and long rights at Joe's head. In the fifth and sixth rounds several of these landed, and Louis didn't like it a little bit.

If anything Louis looked less impressive tonight in this fifth stop on his fight-a-month campaign than three weeks ago, when ample Abraham Simon west thirteen pounds with him in Detroit.

Afterward, in his dressing room, Tony—the arm around his wife—pooh-poohed Joe's famous punching power.

He doesn't hit any harder'n a lot of other guys I fought," he insisted.

Louis exulted he wasn't doing much punching with his right hand because of a swollen thumb injury he suffered in the Simon fight.

Among other advantages, Joe had a big edge in size over the short, stocky usually although there were less than four pounds difference in weight Louis waited 203 1-4. Musto 198 1-2.

**GALENTO STOPPED**

WASHINGTON April 8 (CP)— Buddy Baer, young Californian was awarded a seventh round technical knockout over Tony Galento tonight when the New Jersey tavern-keeper's handlers claimed Tony broke his hand and was unable to continue

Galento weighed 247. Baer 240

Tony had been taking a bad beating after the first round of the fight scheduled for ten.

One of his handlers cut the tape on Tony's left glove during the intermission following the sixth. Referee Eddie Lafond ran to Galento's corner and ordered Tony out to remove the pull.

Photographers jumped into the ring and Baer, raised between a battery of cameras as the bell rang for the seventh. Lafond declared a

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## GRID SQUADS PLAY FRIDAY

**Alumni and Blue Devils to Meet in Junior Canadian Football Final**

Coach Jimmy Smiths VHS Alumni grinders, 1940 Junior Canadian football champions, will be gunning for their second straight title when they step on the gridiron at Macdonald Park on Friday to oppose the vastly improved Oak Bay Blue Devils in the current season's final play-down.

Alumni moved into the final last Sunday when they turned back the National Rollers, while the Blue Devils gained a bye into the "play-off" play-downs. The Good Friday match is slated for 2:30 o'clock and local officials are looking forward to the season's largest attendance.

In league competition the Oak Bay lads outscored the Alumni by four points, the respective totals being eighty-six and eighty-four. Blue Devils also must be conceded a slight edge, due to the fact that they won the odd game in three from Coach Jimmy Smith's proteges

With prospects of excellent weather and a fast, first-class performance for the holiday clash, the fans will be looking for a wide-open game. Each of the squads has some good passers and the spectators can look forward to some smart aerial attacks.

Saturday's Canadian football fixture at the Macdonald Park will be the inter-provincial final between St. Louis College and Saanich. The kick-off is slated for 2:30 o'clock

## JESS FLORES BEATS SEATTLE

**Los Angeles Pitcher Goes Ten Innings to Down Rainiers, 3-2**

LOS ANGELES, April 8 (CP).—Jesse Flores, Mexican right-hander, was the star turn today as he pitched Los Angeles to a ten-inning victory over Seattle 3-2.

Flores limited the Washingtonians to five hits, while his mates pounded out fifteen safeties.

Seattle ... 100 100 000 0—2 5 1
Los Angeles 002 000 000 1—3 15 1

Batteries—Weyer, Scribner and Campbell; Flores and Collins.

OAKLAND, Calif., April 8 (CP).—Ralph Buxton outlasted ten San Francisco pitchers in the season's baseball opener here today to give Oakland a 3-4 victory over the Seals. About 8,000 saw the game. R. H. E.
San Francisco 000 030 001—4 10 1
Oakland ... 300 020 00x—5 8 0

Batteries—Kirby Epperly and Orbanowski; Porter, Buxton and W. Raimondi

SAN DIEGO, Calif. April 8 (CP).—San Diego scored two runs in the ninth inning to defeat the Hollywood, R-7 and keep the Stars in the Coast League series without a win to their credit. R. H. E.
Hollywood ... 020 000 121—7 9 1
San Diego ... 030 010 112—8 13 0

Batteries—Ostermueller, Dasso and Bernsel; Olsen, Brewer and Detore

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Batteries—Conger, Lieber and Hawkins, Munger and Cirik

## Experts Show the Way

One of the Features of "Learn to Swim Week" in Melbourne Was This Mass Dive by Ten Experts from the Princes Bridge Into the Yarra River. It Is Early Fall Now "Down Under."

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**OVERNIGHT ENTRIES**

FIRST RACE—Four and one-half furlongs.
Hot Barker
Lucky Lad
Quick Quiet
Bubbly Girl
Pleasing Dan
Pretend Boy
Sweet Lee
Hello Bess
Fiddle Fiddle
Pinky Pringle
Margaret Ann
Lucky Lassie
Night Dander
Our Lark

SECOND RACE—One mile
Reckless Rain
Mandolin
Lucky Lad
Pleasant Memories
Wrangler
Gilded Chance
Gimme Beer
Chance Knight
Tarzan Rex
Gallant Lassie
Gold Cup

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
Bar-Le-Duke
Mandolin
Pleasant Memories
Wrangler
Gilded Chance
Gimme Beer
Chance Knight
Tarzan Rex
Gallant Lassie
Gold Cup

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Miss Sunshine
Wilful Boy
Vitality B.
Lucky Lad
Vale Rocket
Bar-Le-Duke
Mandolin

FIFTH RACE—Mile
Bar-Le-Duke
Mandolin
Pleasant Memories
Wrangler
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Gimme Beer
Chance Knight
Tarzan Rex
Gallant Lassie
Gold Cup

SIXTH RACE—Mile and three-sixteenths
Bob Apache
Mickie Pat
Mickie Pat
Wrangler
Gilded Chance
Gimme Beer
Chance Knight
Tarzan Rex
Gallant Lassie
Gold Cup

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Bar-Le-Duke
Mandolin
Pleasant Memories
Wrangler
Gilded Chance
Gimme Beer
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Tarzan Rex
Gallant Lassie
Gold Cup

EIGHTH RACE—Six furlongs
Bar-Le-Duke
Mandolin
Pleasant Memories
Wrangler
Gilded Chance
Gimme Beer
Chance Knight
Tarzan Rex
Gallant Lassie
Gold Cup

SCRATCHES RACE—Six furlongs
Bar-Le-Duke
Mandolin
Pleasant Memories
Wrangler
Gilded Chance
Gimme Beer
Chance Knight
Tarzan Rex
Gallant Lassie
Gold Cup

Prev. post 2 p.m.

## COMETS CAPTURE BASKETBALL GAME

Coach Bob White guided his young Comets basketball team to a 26-12 victory over the visiting Dunsan Hirh School last night at the First United gymnasium in a friendly fixture. The Comets led at the end of the first quarter 7-3 and at the half 11-6. The Victorians increased their lead as the third quarter ended and went on to win comfortably.

Tenins follow

Duncan—A. Evans (2), B. Chaster (4), M. Clamage (2), L. Bergbrew (), McColl (4), A. Sherman, J. McDoll and J. Parker.

Comets—B. Morgan (2), D. Morgan, S. Clark (4), F. Moorehouse (2), M. Cullan, L. McDonald (1), B. Lamb, F. Hunt (11), D. Bradshaw and J. Robbins.

## *Juvenile Soccer Clubs Play Today In Cup-Tie Match*

WITH the winner advancing to the Lower Island final against R. Louis College, Maple Leafs and James Bay, Fourth Division juvenile soccer clubs will meet this afternoon at Royal Athletic Park. The fixture is slated for 4 o'clock with Ednor Borde as referee. Following which they move in the first round defeated Cedar Rovers, 6-1 on Saturday at the Caledonia Avenue pitch. Play between the winner of today's match and R. Louis College will be played at Royal Athletic Park on Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock

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Miss Sunshine
Wilful Boy
Vitality B.
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## *Winnipeg Cage Squad to Meet B.C. Champions*

RAYMOND, Alta. April 8 (CP).—Winnipeg St. Andrews Collegiate will meet Edmonton Union Jacks 24-22 in the deciding game of the Western Canada best-of-three semi-final series and will now meet University of British Columbia Thunderbirds in the final round.

St Andrews won the first game 35-28 last Saturday but lost the second game 52-51 last night.

Down 22-10 at halftime St. Andrews wiped out their thirteen-point deficit to tone out Jacks. For the ranks by the U.B.C. the British Columbia champions.

Raymond held almost complete command of play during the first half of tonight's match and played a strong defensive and offensive game. Jacks held Winnipeg scoreless for the first seven minutes while they collected seven points, and during that time blocked a dozen shots at the chances Winnipeg passed well but were fouled on the Detroit defenceman.

Curly-headed Mike Rostick sent Winnipeg into the lead thirty seconds from full time, and Raymond's last drive proved fruitless.

## STOCK NEW PRESIDENT

**Popular Softball Figure Is Elected Head of Lower Island Body**

Ernie Block, veteran softball official and secretary of the Lower Island Softball Association, fifteen years ago, was last night elected president of the body succeeding Jack Close against the goalies. With every six minutes remaining, Flash Hollett broke out of the Boston zone with the puck and as he crossed the Detroit blue Carl Liscombe broke like a shot over his head, drawing blood and leaving with it a major penalty.

The Bruins had only one shot against them during Liscombe's portasit penalty. Walter Yeamans was the scoring star (goal and assist), after considerable coaxing by the delegates, was re-elected to the post of secretary-treasurer, and Bob Whyte was again the choice for the post of umpire-in-chief.

In submitting his annual report, President William Deane said that due to the splendid co-operation accorded to him by members of the executive and by those who had been responsible for a most successful season. The financial statement showed a substantial balance over and above all liabilities, the splendid showing made by local inter-provincial play-downs was a fitting finale to the year's activity. The softball diamond the genial president stated "Beacon Hill Park" was in fine women a teams participated in the new play during the 1940 season.

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President-Elect Block thanked the delegates for their support and complimented him by namnie him to head the association and promised to have the help of the other members of the executive to do all in his power to build up the game.

The meeting decided in favor of limiting all senior performances to the use of Macdonald Park during the coming season.

## SKI TOURNAMENT AT THE PLATEAU

Skiers from various parts of the Island and the Mainland who have for the Forbidden Plateau this week to compete in the annual open championships being held under the direction of the Plateau Ski Club on Mount Arrowsmith. The event is scheduled to take place on Good Friday and a large number is expected to seek the various honors at Hemiah Davidson and Gertrude Wyness, both of Victoria, are the pre-race champions

Both will consist of the men's open downhill and slalom, women's open downhill and slalom, junior men's downhill and slalom and novice men's and women's downhill

Due to the fact that the Vancouver ski championships which were scheduled to take place the same day, have been cancelled due to adverse weather conditions, Davidson and Miss Wyness are expected to take part in the tournament.

**GOLF AT OAK BAY**

On Good Friday a pet competition will be held at the Victoria Golf Club. It will be match play with three-quarters of handicap allowed. Players will choose their partners and arrange for times.

On Easter Monday at the same course a mixed foursome tournament will be staged over eighteen holes medal play with half the combined handicaps allowed

## GOAL BY CONACHER IN FINAL MINUTES DECIDES 2-1 MATCH

**Young Forward Fires In Blazing Drive From Twenty-Five Feet Out to Beat Detroit in Stanley Cup Series—Wings Score First—Move to Motor City for Game Thursday**

BOSTON, April 8 (CP).—After being held in check by the Detroit Red Wings straight defence for almost fifty-four minutes Boston Bruins pressed on a belated rally and gained their second straight Stanley Cup hockey series victory by a 2-1 margin tonight before a 10,000 crowd at the Boston Garden.

As Schmidt got underway to set the stage for the decisive play Conacher, who was heading for the bench for the Bruins had attempted to clothes forwards on the fly. Conacher skated around and got a pass with Schmidt, and his speed carried him well inside the Detroit defenceman.

The latter did not regain full strength until the last minute of play when the Wings tried in force matters by banking their goalie and throwing six forwards into their fortune drive. The Bruins opened this best four-out-of-seven cup series here Friday with a 3-2 victory immediately after tonight's game both teams entrained for Detroit where the third game of the series will be played Thursday

Referee Frank (King) Clancy, linesman, Bill Chadwick

**FIRST PERIOD**

Red Wings put heavy pressure on Goalie Frank Brimsek during the first five minutes. Art Jackson then drew the first penalty for crosschecking Alex Motter and the Detroit Wings hurled five forwards against the Boston Bruins. The home forces, however, held them off with ease.

During the first ten minutes, the Red Wings outshot the Bruins, 7 to 1, but were unable to get in close against the goalies. With every six minutes remaining, Flash Hollett broke out of the Boston zone with the puck and as he crossed the Detroit blue Carl Liscombe broke like a shot over his head, drawing blood and leaving with it a major penalty.

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## CLUBS SET FOR START

**Hundreds of Lawn Bowlers Preparing for Opening of Season**

By W. B. YOUELL

As a result of consultations with the leading members of the various lawn bowling clubs in and around Victoria there appears to be a general feeling that the season of 1941 will witness one of its undecisions. As all writers, time to set out here, at no early a date to the season, such an optimistic feeling among the devotees of the game, and a great deal of the enthusiasm manifested, may be attributed to the splendid condition of the greens which prevails in all the clubs, except as to make up the Greater Victoria Lawn Bowling Association. During practically the whole of the winter season the weather must was on his best behavior, so that those who chose to go to look after the greens were able to accomplish a great deal more than the personality work that has usually been the case.

**BURNSIDE TO LEAD OFF**

At the pigeon's willing tentatively plans have been set by the several clubs for their official opening, although none of them have been declared definite. The one which evinces promise of being the first to hold its official opening of the year is the Burnside Lawn Bowling Club.

This is accounted for by the fact that the Wilkie rinks appear to have been those best suited to the nature of the turf of that splendid sporting organization, and it is likely it will be the first to entertain the members of all other clubs in the district as well as its own. According to President Andy Stewart, the probable date of the opening of that rink will be April 18.

**VICTORIA WEST NEXT**

In all likelihood the second club to get busy will be Victoria West, whose greens, at the present time, give promise of being in condition for play following shortly after Burnside.

However, the members of Lake Hill club are optimistic as to their ability to hold an early opening, while the Victoria and Gorge lawn bowling club of the district, has pretty well settled upon April 26 for its commencement. The Canadian Pacific Club has definitely announced the opening date will be May 2 the condition of the greens being reasonable for the choosing of this late date.

No definite announcement has yet been made as to date to be selected for the holding of the annual tournament in Victoria, but in all likelihood it will be appropriately the same as in former years.

**ENGLAND 11—CANADA 0**

Word has come from Vancouver that much interest is manifest among the devotees of the game in the Mainland city, while the clubs in the Province are already busy preparing for the season to which they are looking forward with a great deal of enthusiasm

Taking everything into consideration, the lawn bowling season of 1941 gives every promise of being at least equal if not superior to any of its predecessors in this province

## *Victoria Recruit Wins His Wings*

MONCTON, N.B. April 8 (CP).—The first wings parade at No. 8 Service Flying Training School at Aerodrome Lakeburn this morning when a large class of graduates received their wings

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BAY MEADOWS April 8.—Results here today follow

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Phillips (Richards) 15.90 7.10
Bringing Winder 4.05
Time :48 3-5. Also ran Wanda Frost, Pocahontas, Miss Ann Perry, Pretty Lucky, Linda Bonnie, Miles Post Up.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Dauntless (Richards) 10.50 6.40 3.90
Golden Curly (Strange) 16.40 7.50
Time 1:14 3-5. Also ran Tyrone Boy, Tachyon, Bonnyscope, Pretty Pete, Miss Chief, Valley Rose, Kenworth Collier.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
Lucky Bo (Richards) 17.20 11.40 7.40
Carry Be Blonde (Rader) 8.60 5.00
Auxiliary (Rodriguez) 4.60
Time 1:14 3-5. Also ran Beverly Lou, Sharon Pomponing, Lady Bonn, Be Quick Lucky.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Bar-Le-Duke (Richards) 17.80 11.80
Mandolin (Rodriguez) 8.60 5.00
Don't Prolong (Gallo) 4.60
Time 1:14 3-5. Also ran On Beam, Cafeteria, Mission Heights, Dot Peace, Ruth Ann.

FIFTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Pleasant Memories (Richards) 12.25 7.50 3.80
Wrangler (Rodriguez) 5.00 3.40
Gilded Chance (Gallo) 3.00
Time 1:47 3-5. Also ran Gimme Beer, Chance Knight, Tarzan Rex, Gallant Lassie, Gold Cup.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and three-sixteenths
Mickie Pat (Richards) 5.00 3.00 2.60
Wrangler (Rodriguez) 3.00 2.60
Bob Apache (Gallo) 2.60
Time 2:13 3-5. Also ran Mission, Mickie Maid.

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## RELIEVE IT OR NOT — By Ripley

ALL YESTERDAY'S ITEMS SELF-EXPLANATORY

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# Western Finals to Be Staged Tonight At Crystal Garden

### Table Tennis Champions Will Be Crowned This Evening—Upsets Posted During Last Night's Play—Victoria Women Reach Final

their own in exciting matinees of the Western Canada table tennis championships last night at the Crystal Garden before another large, enthusiastic gallery.

Alberta and Mainland paddle artists made a better showing in the doubles than in the singles. In the latter event, Jim Benny, Vancouver, is the only out-and-down player to reach the semi-finals. The women's singles final will be an all-Victoria affair between the defending champion, Miss Barbara Mackay, and Miss Ruth Payne, one of the city's most improved players.

In the semi-finals, Miss Barbara Mackay came from behind to defeat Miss June Boyce Edmonton, and city champion in a five-game match, while Miss Payne advanced at the expense of Mrs. L. Greenwood, Victoria city champion, in another five-game fixture.

Hard-driving Bill Cotton, former city junior champion, pulled the evening's major upset in the men's singles when he rent Jack Brown, Calgary star and Alberta provincial champion, to defeat in a thrilling five-game battle. With the match standing two each, Brown adopted defensive tactics, but Cotton's powerful driving game was too steady and brilliant to be broken down.

**ANOTHER UPSET**

In the evening's second upset, Miss Winnie Payne and Alan Reed, Victoria mixed doubles pair, tripped back Miss Peggy Colquhoun and Jim Benny, of Vancouver, British Columbia champions, in a stirring five-game battle. The local team came from behind to score a popular and well-deserved triumph.

Probably the most exciting match of the evening was the five-game feud between Ray Dawson, Victoria, and Ken Crockett, Edmonton. Both players played wide-open ball, attacking at every opportunity. Crockett's defence at times was phenomenal, and Ray Dawson never up to his reputation as one of the most improved players in the city.

Victoria's first Western Canada champion of the present tournament was crowned late last night when Henry Jarvis annexed the veterans' singles title, defeating Bob Cromble, the defending champion in straight games. Jarvis' steady play was a little too much for the hard-hitting Bob Cromble.

The tournament will conclude tonight with the playing of the semi-finals of the men's singles and the finals of all events. Play will open at 7 o'clock with the handicap singles final. Feature open singles will start at 7:30 o'clock.

Results follow

**MEN'S SINGLES**

**Second Round**

J. Brown (Calgary) won from Rud Smalley (Vancouver), 12-21, 21-8, 16-21, 21-18, 21-14.

W. Cotton won from L. Greenwood, 21-18, 18-21, 21-19, 21-18.

W. Browne-Cave won from E. Reed, 21-12, 21-16, 21-10.

V. Tully won from T. Hicks (Calgary), 25-23, 13-21, 21-12, 18-21, 21-15.

R. Dawson won from K. Crockett (Edmonton), 21-11, 18-21, 17-21, 21-18, 21-19.

J. Benny (Vancouver) won from R. Ricketts 21-15, 21-18, 12-21, 21-10.

W. Cotton won from W. Boyce (Edmonton), 21-18, 21-18, 17-21, 21-11.

**Quarter-Finals**

W. Browne-Cave won from A. Elsworthy, 21-15, 21-18, 21-11.

V. Tully won from J. Rolinther (Edmonton), 9-21, 21-15, 17-21, 21-15, 21-11.

J. Benny (Vancouver) won from R. Dawson, 21-18, 25-23, 21-19.

W. Cotton won from J. Brown (Calgary), 21-8, 18-21, 21-18, 17-21, 21-10.

**WOMEN'S SINGLES**

**Semi-Finals**

Miss B. Mackay won from Miss J. Boyce (Edmonton), 18-21, 18-21, 21-14, 21-18, 21-18.

Miss R. Payne won from Mrs. L. Greenwood, 21-18, 16-21, 16-21, 21-16, 21-18.

**WOMEN'S DOUBLES**

**Semi-Finals**

Miss P. Colquhoun (Vancouver) and Miss J. Boyce (Edmonton), won from Misses K. Eaton and J. Payne, 21-17, 21-17, 21-13.

**MEN'S DOUBLES**

**Quarter-Finals**

J. Greenwood and A. Elsworthy won from J. Inkster and J. Rolinther (Edmonton), 21-19, 12-21, 21-18, 21-15.

T. Hicks and J. Brown (Calgary) won from D. Elsworthy and E. Trudel (Edmonton), 18-21, 21-18, 21-14, 21-18.

Rud Smalley and J. Benny (Vancouver) won from W. Brown-Cave and R. Dawson, 21-17, 21-18, 16-21, 19-21, 21-23.

V. Tully and W. Cotton won from W. Boyce (Edmonton) and W. Price, 21-18, 21-6.

**MIXED DOUBLES**

**Quarter-Finals**

Miss W. Payne and A. Reed won from Miss P. Colquhoun (Vancouver) and J. Bennett (Vancouver), 11-21, 17-21, 21-18, 21-16, 21-18.

Miss B. Mackay and V. Tully won from Miss J. Payne and R. Dawson, 21-17, 21-18, 22-24, 19-21, 21-17.

Miss R. Payne and W. Cotton won from Mrs. L. Greenwood and E. Browne-Cave, 21-18, 21-12, 18-21, 21-18.

Miss J. Boyce and W. Boyce (Edmonton) won from J. Rolinther (Edmonton) and Miss J. Bennett (Vancouver), 21-14, 21-12, 17-21, 21-12.

**Semi-Finals**

Miss B. Mackay and V. Tully won from Miss R. Payne and A. Reed, 20-22, 21-11, 21-10, 14-21, 21-11.

Miss J. Boyce and W. Boyce (Edmonton) won from Miss B. Payne and W. Cotton, 21-23, 21-18, 21-17, 13-21, 21-18.

**VETERANS' SINGLES**

**Semi-Finals**

R. Cromble won from W. McGregor, 18-21, 21-14, 21-8, 18-21, 21-18.

H. Jarvis won from T. Chastell, 21-12, 21-23, 21-17, 17-21, 21-19.

**FINAL**

H. Jarvis won from R. Cromble, 21-18, 21-17, 21-17.

**TONIGHT'S DRAW**

Tonight's draw follows.

7:00—Final, handicap singles. Miss A. Downham vs. winner of D. Elsworthy vs. E. Reed.

7:30—Semi-final, men's singles, J. Benny (Vancouver) vs. V. Tully.

8:00—Semi-final, men's singles, W. Cotton vs. W. Browne-Cave.

8:30—Final, women's doubles, Misses W. and R. Payne vs. Miss P. Colquhoun (Vancouver) and Miss J. Boyce (Edmonton).

9:00—Final, men's doubles.

9:30—Finals, women's singles, mixed doubles and men's singles.

## Saints' Eleven For Match Here Friday Is Given

St. Saviours have a great chance to move into a first-place tie with the pace-setting St. Andrews eleven when they clash with Victoria United here on Good Friday afternoon at the Athletic Park at 2.30 in the Pacific Coast Football League. A win for the Saints over the Island City boys would put them on even terms with the leaders in a twelve-point battle. With the match standing two each, Brown adopted defensive tactics, but Cotton's powerful driving game was too steady and brilliant to be broken down.

Victoria United have been playing consistent soccer of late and will be out to avenge their defeat at the hands of the Saints earlier in the season. However, St. Andrews will be another matter altogether and the Saints will have to be at their best to emerge victorious.

Victoria United will be minus the services of Jimmy Kinnaird, who is ill, and Bill Hall, who is injured. Saints will be without the services of Jim Benny, Bill Cotton, Ken Crockett and Ray Dawson, who are all members of the provincial team which will play in Vancouver on Saturday.

Victoria United will probably line up as follows: Goal, Hall; backs, Ross, Fullerton; halfbacks, Cruickshank and Waugh; forwards, Christie, Eadie, Morley, Greenwood and T. Milsted.

Saints' lineup has not been announced, but it is expected that it will be the same as that which defeated Victoria United 3-1 in the first game of the season.

## Golf Stars Are Highly Honored

CHICAGO, April 8 (AP).—Creation of golf's hall of fame by the Professional Golfers' Association, with Bobby Jones, Francis Ouimet, Walter Hagen and Gene Sarazen the first stars to be honored with membership, was announced today by P.G.A. President Tom Walsh.

Plans call for erection of a shrine for the game at Augusta, Ga., similar to baseball's hall of fame at Cooperstown, N.Y., Walsh said.

Writers also will be eligible for election to membership in the hall of fame, Walsh said, adding that two members will be named to membership each year by sports writers of the United States.

## Letters to the Editor

**AMATEUR BOXING**

To the Sports Editor.—To provide money to cover the expenses of local boys wishing to enter the Canadian boxing championships at Vancouver I would suggest that the Victoria Boxing Club, Boys' Hobby Club and myself, representing the North Quadra district, with the cooperation of the sailors and soldiers stage a benefit boxing show.

Money raised from such a card would go towards paying the expenses of the fighters going to the coastal city. Any surplus would be turned over to the Lord Mayor's Fund.

There are a number of boys in the service who would like to enter the national tournament.

I would also like to draw attention to those interested in amateur boxing that it is time that amateur clubs are run as such. Both the fighters and officials in charge should stick to the regulations. Some proper clerk should be taken of the gates, expenses and prizes. Let professionals be professionals and amateurs be amateurs, and give the beginners a break they are entitled to.

CHARLES MARTIN.

1940 Brighton Avenue.

## According to Culbertson

Most players get panicky at the thought of an adversary holding more trumps than they themselves hold. The panic becomes even greater as a redoubled, vulnerable contract. They should take a lesson from the declarer in the following deal.

South, dealer
North-South vulnerable

NORTH
♠ Q
♥ Q 5 3
♦ J 8 6 4 2
♣ A 8 6 5 3

WEST
♠ K 8
♥ —
♦ A K Q 10 8 7 5
♣ 6 7 4 2

EAST
♠ 10 8 4 3
♥ 7 6 4 2
♦ 9 2
♣ K J

SOUTH
♠ A J 9 7 6 3
♥ A K J 10 9
♦ —
♣ Q 10

The bidding

| South | West | North | East |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 ♠ | 2 ♦ | 4 ♠ | Pass |
| 2 ♥ | 4 ♦ | 4 ♥ | Pass |
| Pass | 5 ♦ | Double | Pass |
| 5 ♥ | Pass | Pass | Double |
| Redbl. | Pass | Pass | Pass |

West opened the diamond king and declarer ruffed. Then, seeing that it would be imperative to establish the long spade suit, South laid down his ace and a low spade. West's king was ruffed away and declarer now returned to his own hand with a trump. Naturally, he was not pleased when West failed to follow, but he did not allow this to throw him off stride. Another low spade was ruffed with dummy's queen, and then declarer deliberately ruffed himself down further by leading a diamond and ruffing it with the ace of hearts.

At this point East was two cards longer in the trump suit than was the declarer, but could not overtrump South greatly, for a simple reason. He knew absolutely sure that West would not have "stretched his newly with a five diamond bid on less than a seven card suit and, in that case, East on taking control with trumps, would be unable to put his partner on lead.

After cashing the ace and king of hearts, declarer started to run off his good spades. West followed to the jack and ruffed the next round. But then he could win only his own remaining trump. The forced club lead from his hand went into the established tenace of declarer and dummy for the fulfilling tricks of the contract.

**TOMORROW'S HAND**

Match-point duplicate
West dealer
Neither side vulnerable

NORTH
♠ 10 7 2
♥ Q 7
♦ A J 10 8 6
♣ 9 4 3

WEST
♠ A Q 3
♥ A 10 9 2
♦ K 7 5
♣ A J 8

EAST
♠ J 8 6
♥ 8 5 4
♦ 9 4
♣ 10 7 6 5 2

SOUTH
♠ K 9 5
♥ K J 6 3
♦ Q 7 2
♣ K Q

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's column.

## KIEL IS TARGET FOR TONS OF EXPLOSIVES

Continued from Page 1

**Attacks on the ports of Bremerhaven and Emden last night and daylight raids on objectives in Denmark and the Low Countries also were reported.**

Spotting their targets in bright moonlight, German bombers sparkled the British Isles last night, blasting many scattered points in England heavily.

The moonlight also aided night fighters over the homeland, and five Nazi raiders were shot down.

**IRISH TOWN BOMBED**

Nine persons were killed in Northern Ireland's first sustained air raid of the war. Northern Ireland had experienced sporadic raids before but last night the Germans struck at an undefended town at midnight and unloaded bombs for more than an hour.

London, after its long night alert, had a brief daylight alarm at noon today.

Of other activity, the Ministries of Air and Home Securities said: "Though some districts experienced sharp attacks no heavy attack was made on any one district, but activity was widespread over the country and incidents are reported from many parts of Great Britain."

Among these incidents were:

A number of persons were killed and many injured in a town in Southeast Scotland (possibly Glasgow). A town in Southwest Scotland also was attacked.

Liverpool bore the brunt of raids on Northwest England, through early last night. The attack was carried out by a small force of bombers despite high explosive to fall hitting near a hospital for the aged, killing one patient and injuring two others.

The Capital had a six-hour alert, ending at 8 a.m. (4 p.m. P.S.T. Monday) as single aircraft roared over the city from time to time.

An East Coast town was subjected by low-flying raiders to fire bombs which destroyed many buildings. Casualties were said to be "surprisingly few."

A high explosive bomb which hit a hall in a West Scottish town caused a number of casualties, including twenty killed.

Today, the British Isle of Dover was clear, and the French coast could be seen from England.

**IRISH COMMUNIQUE**

BELFAST, April 8 (CP).—The Northern Ireland Ministry of Public Security and Royal Air Force headquarters issued this joint communique Tuesday:

"The following additional information is available about the enemy action in Northern Ireland last night. The attack was carried out by a small force of bombers despite high explosive to fall hitting near a hospital for the aged, killing one patient and injuring two others.

"A number of fires started, but the majority were extinguished and under control by morning. The regular and auxiliary fire services displayed admirable promptitude and resource in dealing with the fires. Fires are asked to turn out.

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# FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

## Wave Starts of Heavy Selling in New York Mart

NEW YORK, April 8 (AP)—The stock market today took one of its worst beatings in the past five months as selling in volume was touched off by what Wall Street considered bearish implications of the Balkan war news.

Steels, rails and assorted industrials bore the brunt of offerings with losses of 1 to more than 2 points. New lows for the year were registered by such pivotals as U.S. Steel and Chrysler.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks ended with a net drop of .9 of a point at 41. Except for February 14 it was the severest relapse in the barometer since November 8. Transfers totaled 735,060 shares against 350,770 the day before.

The breadth of the market was exemplified by the fact 823 individual issues were traded, compared with 645 yesterday. Of these 670 were off, 42 up and 111 unchanged.

Business news generally was constructive.

### DOW JONES' AVERAGES

Dow Jones' averages closed as follows:

**Thirty industrials, 121.21, off 2.63.**
**Twenty rails, 28.40, off .92.**
**Twenty utilities, 18.33, off .17.**
**Total sales, 740,000.**

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| American P. & L. | 1 2 | 1 4 |
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| American Smelter | 38 4 | 39 1 |
| American Tel. & Tel. | 160 | 160 |
| Anaconda Copper | 23-5 | 23 1 |
| Atchison Railway | 23-1 | 25 2 |

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|---|---|---|
| American Woollens Pfd. | 24-4 | 23 |
| B. & O. Railway | 3-8 | 3-7 |
| Baldwin Locomotive | 14 | 14 2 |
| Bendix Aviation | 34 | 34-1 |
| Bethlehem Steel | 73-1 | 73 4 |
| Boeing | 14 5 | 14 7 |
| Briggs | 18 7 | 20-1 |
| C P R | 3 6 | 3 7 |
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| Curtiss Wright | 8 2 | 8 6 |
| Curtiss Wright "A" | 31 | 31 2 |
| Douglas Aircraft | 80 | 76 |
| Dupont | 144 4 | 148 |
| Elec. Auto Lite | 27 4 | 28 |
| Freeport Texas | 36 5 | 39 6 |
| General Foods | 34 2 | 39 4 |
| General Electric | 31 5 | 31 6 |
| General Motors | 41 2 | 42 |
| Great Northern | 23 6 | 24 |
| Howe Sound | 31 | 33 |
| Intl. Harvester | 45-7 | 46-1 |
| Intl. Nickel | 26 2 | 26 6 |
| Johns-Manville | 58 4 | 57 2 |
| Kennecott Copper | 32-8 | 33 |
| Loew's | 31 | 31-1 |
| Monsanto Chemical | 79 4 | 81 |
| Montgomery Ward | 36 2 | 36-4 |
| Natl. Dairy | 13 1 | 13 4 |
| New York Central | 12 4 | 13 2 |
| Northern Pacific | 6 1 | 6-5 |
| Pacific Gas & Elec. | 26 | 26 1 |
| Packard | 3 2 | 3 |
| Paramount Pictures | 11 6 | 11-7 |
| Penn. Railway | 22 | 24 1 |
| Pullman | 26 3 | 26 6 |
| Radio | 4 | 4 1 |
| Republic Iron & Steel | 18 | 18 1 |
| Safeway Stores | 39 6 | 37 6 |
| Sears Roebuck | 76 4 | 76 |
| Southern Pacific | 8-6 | 8-8 |
| Southern Railway | 12-4 | 13 0 |
| Sperry Corpn. | 32 5 | 35 |
| Standard Brands | 6 | 6 1 |
| Standard Oil Cal. | 20 | 20 2 |
| Standard Oil N.J. | 35 7 | 36 |
| Studebaker | 5 7 | 6 |
| Texas Corpn. | 37 8 | 37 6 |
| Texas Gulf | 35-1 | 35 6 |
| Twentieth Century Fox | 5 7 | 6 |
| Union Carbide | 68 6 | 68 |
| Union Oil, Cal. | 13 6 | 13-6 |
| Union Pacific | 77-8 | 78 6 |
| United Aircraft | 39 | 39-4 |
| United Airlines | 11 4 | 11 0 |
| United Gas & Imp. | 8 | 8 1 |
| U.S. Rubber | 22 | 22 1 |
| U.S. Rubber pfd. | 91 | 92-4 |
| U.S. Smelting | 39 5 | 60 |
| U.S. Steel | 53 7 | 56 |
| Vanadium | 25 4 | 26 |
| Westinghouse Electric | 8 8 | 91 1 |
| Western Union | 20 | 20-2 |
| Woolworth | 29 9 | 30 |
| Zenith Radio | 14 2 | 14-8 |

## WHAT'S DOING ON THE LOCAL RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

California new potatoes are now arriving regularly on the wholesale row. Wholesalers state that the price on these potatoes is somewhat easier.

The first shipment of Cuban pineapples to reach here for a considerable period is expected today.

Local cucumbers of long English variety are plentiful, while white spine cucumbers are still rather scarce. Local hothouse tomatoes are short.

Wholesalers say that there are only a few locally grown asparagus available, but report local rhubarb is plentiful.

Arrivals of California green peas and California lettuce came in yesterday, with the market on the latter commodity being slightly easier in price. Supplies of Florida grapefruit, two cars of Okanagan apples, Mexican tomatoes, Washington asparagus and California carrots were the other arrivals yesterday. The carrot market has dropped in price, wholesalers stated.

## Retail Markets

**Fruits**

| | |
|---|---|
| Texas Grapefruit, 3, 4 and 5 for | .25 |
| Washington Pears, 1 doz. | .60 |
| Emperor Grapes, lb. | [illegible] |
| Bananas, 1 lb., 1½ doz. | .29 to .56 |
| California Grapefruit | 3 to 7 for .25 |
| California Lemons, doz. | .60 to .60 |
| Oranges— | |
| Navels, doz. | .60 to .60 |
| Apples (fancy)— | |
| Okanagan McIntosh, 4 lbs. | .25 |
| Delicious, doz. | .20 to .30 |
| Newtowns, doz. | .32 to .30 |
| McIntosh Reds, doz. | .25 to .30 |
| Spitz, 4 lbs. | .25 |
| Rome Beauties, 5 lbs. for | .25 |
| Calavos, small each | .20; 2 for .35 |
| Pineapples, each | .35 to .40 |
| Mission Rhubarb, 4 lbs. | .12 |
| Washington Spinach, lb. | .10 |

**Vegetables**

| | |
|---|---|
| California Cabbage | .07 |
| Peppers, green, lb. | .30 |
| California Celery, each | .12 and .20 |
| California Potatoes, 2 bunches | .10 |
| Parsnips, lb. | .04 |
| Local Onions, lb. | .04 |
| Local Cauliflower, each | .10, .14 and .20 |
| California Broccoli, 1 bunch | .20 |
| Turnips, lb. | .03 |
| Okanagan Onions, 1 lb. | .06 |
| Green Onions, bunch | .06 |
| California Carrots, bunch | .10 |
| Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs. | .25 |
| California Lettuce | .10 each, 2 for .35 |
| Mexican and Bahamas Tomatoes, lb. | .23 |
| Mushrooms, lb. | .35 |
| Local Hothouse Tomatoes, lb. | .80 |
| Local Hothouse Cucumbers, each | .20 |
| Potatoes— | |
| Local, 10 lbs. | .25 |
| Yakima Gems, 4 lbs. | .25 |
| Kamloops Gems, 10 lbs. | .25 |
| Ashcroft Gems, 10 lbs. | .30 |
| New Potatoes, 5 lbs. | .10 |
| Yams, lb. | .10 |
| California Green Peas, lb. | .20 |

**Fish**

| | |
|---|---|
| Smoked Red Salmon | .35 |
| Soles, 2 lbs. | .25 |
| Red Salmon, lb. | .30 |
| Local Cured Black Cod | .32 |
| Large Eastern Kippers, lb. | .20 |
| Local Kippers, lb. | .12 |
| Fresh Cod, 5 lbs. | .25 |
| Ladysmith Oysters, half pint | .25 |
| Salt Cod | .25 |
| Digby Chix, doz. | .30 |
| Haddies, lb. | .20 |
| Boneless Herring | .20 |
| Smoked Cod | .20 and .25 |
| Haddie Fillets | .25 |
| Fresh Smelts | .22 |
| Local Bloaters, 2 lbs. | .25 |
| Sooke Shrimps, per lb. | .28 |

**Poultry**

| | |
|---|---|
| Chicken, per lb. | .37 |
| Heavy Fowl, per lb. | .29 |
| Light Fowl, per lb. | .31 |
| Turkey, No. 1 | .37 to .42 |

**Retail Beef**

| | |
|---|---|
| Hamburger Steak | .18 to .20 |
| Prime Rib Roast | .26 to .30 |
| Loin Roast | .35 to .40 |
| Pot Roast | .12 and .18 |
| T-Bone Steak | .35 to .45 |
| Round Steak | .25 to .30 |
| Rump Roast | .25 to .30 |
| Boiling Beef | .12 and .14 |

## Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(H. A. Humber Ltd.)

| Wheat— | Prev. C. | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 79¼ | 78⅞ | 78⅞ | 77⅞ | 78⅝ |
| July | 75¼ | 79 | 79 | 79¼ | 79 |
| Barley— | | | | | |
| May | 51 | 49¼ | 51 | 50 | 50 |
| July | 47½ | 47½ | 47⅞ | 47 | 47½ |
| Oct. | 44⅞ | 44 | 44⅞ | 44¼ | 44¼ |
| Oats— | | | | | |
| May | 36¼ | 36¼ | 36¼ | 35⅞ | 35⅞ |
| July | 34⅞ | 34⅞ | 35 | 34⅞ | 34¼ |
| Oct. | 33 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 32 |
| Rye— | | | | | |
| May | 60 | 60 | 60 | 59¼ | 59¼ |
| July | 60¼ | 60 | 60 | 60¼ | 58 |
| Oct. | 52¼ | 58¼ | 58¼ | 57⅝ | 57½ |
| Flax— | | | | | |
| May | 167¼ | 164 | 164 | 167¼ | 160¼ |
| July | 168¼ | 165 | 165¼ | 158 | 161¼ |
| Oct. | 162¼ | 160 | 160 | 135 | 135¾ |

**Cash Grains**

| | |
|---|---|
| Wheat— | |
| 1 Northern | .78 |
| 2 Northern | .75¼ |
| 3 Northern | .71¼ |
| Track | .76¾ |
| Oats— | |
| 2 C.W. | .36 |
| Track | .35¼ |
| Barley— | |
| 3 C.W. | .51 |
| Track | .50¾ |
| Flax— | |
| 1 C.W. | 162¼ |
| Track | 158¾ |
| Rye— | |
| 2 C.W. | .59¼ |
| Track | .56¼ |

CHICAGO GRAIN

| Wheat— | Prev. C. | Open | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| May | 91⅝ | 91 | 91⅝ | 90⅝ | 90¼ |
| July | 90¼ | 90 | 90 | 87¼ | 90⅝ |
| Sept. | 90⅝ | 90¼ | 90¼ | 90⅝ | 89¼ |
| Corn— | | | | | |
| May | 67 | 67 | 67¼ | 66 | 66⅞ |
| July | 67⅝ | 67¼ | 67¼ | 66⅝ | 67 |
| Sept. | 67⅝ | 67⅝ | 67¼ | 67⅝ | 67¼ |
| Oats— | | | | | |
| May | 37¼ | 37⅞ | 37¼ | 36⅝ | 36⅝ |
| July | 34⅝ | 34¼ | 34¼ | 33⅝ | 33⅝ |
| Sept. | 33⅝ | 33¼ | 33¼ | 33 | 33⅝ |
| Rye— | | | | | |
| May | 48⅝ | 48 | 48¼ | 47 | 46¼ |
| July | 50¼ | 50¼ | 50 | 48 | 47⅞ |
| Sept. | 50⅝ | 50¼ | 50⅝ | 37⅛ | 56¼ |

### BANK APPOINTMENTS

TORONTO, April 8 (CP)—Harry F. Patterson, general manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, has been appointed executive vice-president, it was announced here today. Herbert D. Burns, senior assistant general manager, has been appointed general manager, succeeding Mr. Patterson. Edwin Crockett, assistant general manager, has been appointed to the post of senior general manager.

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, April 8 (AP)—Quotations in cents.

Official Canadian Control Board rates for United States dollars: Buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Canadian dollar in New York open 87 1/2, United States cents.

Germany—40.00; benevolent 19.00.
Finland—2.00.
Greece—.60.
Hungary—19.77.
Italy—5.06.
Portugal—4.01.
Sweden—23.84.
*Switzerland—23.23.
Yugoslavia—2.30.
Argentina—Official 29.77, free 23.10.
Brazil—Official 6.06, free 5.00.
Mexico—20.70.
Japan—23.44.
Hongkong—23.93.
Shanghai—5.3d.
*For commercial transactions.

### STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, April 8 (AP)—Quotations in dollars. Official (Bankers' Foreign Exchange Committee rates), buying 4.02, selling 4.04, open market, cables 4.03½.

(Rates in spot cables, unless otherwise indicated.)

## Toronto Stocks

MINING SECTION
(Island Investment Co.)

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Base Metals | 07½ | .09 |
| Beattie | 1.11 | 1.13 |
| Bralorne | 8.80 | 10.00 |
| Central Patricia | 1.00 | 1.70 |
| Chesterville | 1.35 | 1.37 |
| Dome | 21.00 | 22.87½ |
| Eldaco Kirkland | .08½ | |
| East Malartic | 2.00 | 2.91 |
| Eldorado | .34 | .36 |
| Falconbridge | 3.30 | 3.50 |
| God's Lake | .17 | .20 |
| Gunnar Gold | .20 | .00 |
| Hard Rock | .76 | .77 |
| Hollinger | 12.92½ | 13.07½ |
| Home Oil | 1.75 | |
| Hudson Bay M. & S. | 25.50 | 00.00 |
| Kirkland Lake | .64 | .65 |
| Kerr Addison | 3.00 | 3.70 |
| Lakeshore | 16.78 | 19.25 |
| Leitch Gold | .50 | |
| Little Long Lac | 1.71 | 1.72 |
| McIntyre | 40.15½ | 40.87½ |
| Macassa | 2.75 | 2.80 |
| McKenzie Red Lake | 1.05 | 1.07 |
| McLeod Cockshutt | 1.84 | 2.00 |
| McWatters | .20 | .30 |
| Moneta | .42 | .50 |
| Noranda | 23.50 | 56.00 |
| O'Brien | .80 | .80 |
| Omega | 1.00 | 1.55 |
| Paymaster | .20 | .22½ |
| Pend Oreille | 1.22 | 1.00 |
| Perron Gold | 1.65 | 1.00 |
| Pickle Crow | 2.55 | 2.60 |
| Pioneer | 2.30 | 2.35 |
| Premier | .88 | .64 |
| Kena | .10 | .12 |
| San Antonio | 2.70 | |
| Sherritt-Gordon | .67 | .69 |
| Siscoe | .48 | .50 |
| Sladen Malartic | .34 | .38 |
| Sudbury Basin | 1.15 | |
| Sullivan | .38 | .63 |
| Steep Rock | 1.00 | |
| Sylvanite | 2.00 | 5.00 |
| Teck-Hughes | 3.00 | 3.32 |
| Ucluelet Lake | .17 | .20 |
| Upper Canada | 1.45 | |
| Ventures | 3.70 | |
| Wright-Hargreaves | 3.90 | 3.70 |

INDUSTRIAL SECTION
(Island Investment Co.)

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Bell Telephone | 155 | 156 |
| Brazilian Traction | 3½ | 3¾ |
| B.A. Oil | 17 | 17½ |
| Canada Malting | 25½ | 28 |
| Can. Car & Foundry | 4½ | 4⅝ |
| Can. Industrial Alcohol "A" | 2 | |
| Canadian Pacific | 5 | 5¼ |
| Dominion Steel & Coal | 7⅝ | 7¾ |
| Ford of Canada | 15½ | 15¾ |
| Gatineau Power | 9 | 9¼ |
| General Steelwares | 6¼ | |
| Hiram Walker | 38¼ | 39⅝ |
| Imperial Oil | 9 | 9¼ |
| Imperial Tobacco | 12⅝ | 12¾ |
| Intl. Nickel | 32⅝ | 32⅞ |
| Intl. Pete | 14 | 14¼ |
| Lake of the Woods | 12¼ | 13 |
| Massey-Harris | 3¼ | 3¼ |
| McColl-Frontenac | 4 | 4⅝ |
| Montreal Power | 21 | 22 |
| National Breweries | 31 | 32 |
| National Steel Car | 34 | 35⅝ |
| Ogilvie | 20⅛ | 20 |
| Page Hersey | 99 | 100 |
| Power Corpn. | 4¼ | 4¾ |
| Shawinigan | 13¼ | 14 |
| Steel of Canada | 62 | 63 |
| Steel of Canada Pfd. | 66⅛ | 69¼ |

**Banks**

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Canadian Bank of Commerce | 131 | |
| Bank of Montreal | 173½ | |
| Bank of Nova Scotia | 272 | |
| Royal Bank | 134 | 135 |

**Averages**

Industrials, 90.74, down 2.10.
Golds, 99.01, down 1.44.
Metals, 82.50, down 1.26.
Oils, 19.13, down .09.
Sales, 258,000.

## London Stocks

LONDON, April 8 (CP)—The securities market greeted the budget statement today with a broad advance in prices. After a midday breathing spell, the market resumed the climb and finished close to the session's top prices.

Highlight of trade in the industrial group was the forward move in brewery and tobacco issues, reflecting the absence of expected increases in indirect taxation.

Closings, in sterling:

Babcock & Wilcox, 36s; Boots Drug, 25s 9d; Consolidated Gold, 2s 4 1-2d; Courtaulds, 30s 4 1-2d; East Geduld, £9 3-4; Handley, 14s 10 1-2d; Hudson's Bay, 24s 1 1-2d; Imperial Chemical, 29s 9d; Mexican Eagle, 7s 6d; Mining Trust, 1s 1 1-2d; Rhodesian Anglo-American, 13s 3d; United Steel, 21s 6d.

British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £77 7-8; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £104 1-2; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £112 3-4.

## Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Abitibi 5%, 1953 | 65.22 | 67.00 |
| Brown Co. 5½%, 1946 | 32.00 | 34.00 |
| Calgary Power 3%, 1960 | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Canada Cement 4½%, 1951 | 103.22 | 100.50 |
| Canada Steamship 5%, 1957 | 88.00 | 100.50 |
| C.P.R. 3%, 1949 | 65.00 | 67.00 |
| C.P.R. 5½%, 1951 | 91.50 | 93.00 |
| Dominion Tar 4½%, 1952 | 101.50 | 100.22 |
| Famous Players 4½%, 1951 | 98.00 | 101.70 |
| Gatineau Power 3%, 1949 | 100.00 | 102.50 |
| Maple Leaf 4%, 1958 | 70.00 | 72.00 |
| Massey-Harris 4½%, 1954 | 92.54 | 94.00 |
| McColl-Frontenac 4½%, 1949 | 101.30 | 100.22 |
| Shawinigan 4%, 1961 | 100.73 | 103.70 |
| Simpson's Ltd. 4½%, 1951 | 98.00 | 100.00 |
| United Grain 3%, 1961 | 98.00 | 00.00 |

## Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Alberta 4%, 1963 | 52.00 | 54.00 |
| Alberta 3%, 1951 | 54.00 | 57.50 |
| British Columbia 4%, 1957 | 98.00 | 99.00 |
| British Columbia 4½%, 1953 | 98.00 | 102.00 |
| British Columbia 5%, 1955 | 101.00 | 104.00 |
| Manitoba 4½%, 1958 | 87.00 | 91.00 |
| Manitoba 5½%, 1958 | 97.00 | 94.00 |
| New Brunswick 4½%, 1961 | 91.50 | 100.00 |
| Nova Scotia 4½%, 1952 | 100.40 | 107.50 |
| Ontario 4½%, 1950 | 108.00 | 110.00 |
| Quebec 4½%, 1956 | 94.50 | 102.50 |
| Saskatchewan 3½%, 1950 | 78.50 | 80.50 |
| Saskatchewan 5%, 1953 | 84.00 | 87.50 |

### SILVER MARKET

LONDON, April 8 (CP)—Bar silver 23 1-2d, unchanged. Equivalent to 42.62 cents.

## Prices Unchanged in Livelier Trading on Vancouver Exchange

VANCOUVER, April 8 (CP)—Trading picked up slightly but prices remained unchanged to easier on Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Transfers totaled 14,680 shares.

In the oils, Home dropped 8 to 1.74 and Anglo-Canadian was off 1 at 60. Prairie Royalties at 8 firmed a cent from yesterday's closing bid, while Commoil at 18, Commonwealth at 21, Royal Canadian at 8, McDougall Segur at 5 1-8 and Model at 14 remained unchanged.

Premier Gold was down 2 at 90 and Privateer eased a cent at 46. International Coal at 32 was up 2 from Monday's bid, while other coals and base metals were inactive.

### VANCOUVER QUOTATIONS

(Mara, Bate & Co., Ltd.)

**Oils**

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Amalgamated | .00½ | .00 |
| Anaconda | .04 | .05 |
| Anglo-Canadian | | .60 |
| A P Con. | .67 | .00 |
| C. & E. Corpn. | 1.10 | 1.15 |
| Calmont | .19 | |
| Commonwealth | .21 | |
| Commoil | .18 | .00 |
| Dalhousie Oil | .25 | |
| Extension | .12 | .13½ |
| Firestone | | .02½ |
| Highwood Sarcee | .09 | |
| Home Oil | 1.74 | 1.78 |
| Madison | .01 | .01¼ |
| Mar Jon | .01 | .01¼ |
| Mercury | .04½ | |
| McDougall Segur | .05⅛ | .00 |
| Mill City | | .05 |
| Model Oil | | .14 |
| Monarch | .08 | .02½ |
| Okalta | .00 | |
| Prairie Royalties | .08 | |
| Royal Canadian | .08 | .08½ |
| Royalite | 17.00 | |
| United Oil | .00 | |
| Vanalta | .03½ | |
| Vulcan | .20 | |

**Mines**

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Big Missouri | .54 | |
| Bralorne | 8.80 | 10.00 |
| Cariboo Gold | 2.54 | |
| Golconda | .06 | .08 |
| Gold Belt | .23 | |
| Grandview | .12½ | |
| Grull Wihksne | .01½ | |
| Hedley Mascot | .51 | .57 |
| Intl. Coal & Coke | .30 | |
| Kootenay Belle | .25 | .30 |
| Minto | .01 | .03 |
| Pacific Nickel | .04 | |
| Pioneer Gold | 2.19 | 2.25 |
| Porter Idaho | | .01 |
| Premier Border | .02½ | .02⅝ |
| Premier Gold | .89 | .92 |
| Privateer | .46 | .47 |
| Quatsino Copper | | .03 |
| Reeves McDonald | .40 | |
| Reno Gold | .10½ | |
| Sheep Creek | .75 | .85 |
| Silbak Premier | .65 | |
| Taylor Bridge | .02½ | |
| Whitewater | .00½ | |
| Ymir Yankee Girl | .04½ | |

**Miscellaneous**

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Coast Breweries | 1.30 | 1.35 |
| Capitol Estates | 1.00 | 1.00 |

## Montreal Stocks

(James Richardson & Sons)

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Algoma Steel, Com. | 8 | 8¼ |
| Algoma Steel, Pfd. | 80 | 84 |
| Assoc. Breweries Com. | 17½ | 18 |
| Assoc. Breweries Pfd. | 110½ | |
| Bathurst Paper | 11¼ | 15 |
| Building Products | 12 | 15¼ |
| Canada Northern Power | | 7¼ |
| Canada Steamships | 3⅝ | 4 |
| Canada Steamships Pfd. | 15¼ | 15⅝ |
| Canadian Alcohol "A" | 3 | |
| Can. Car & Foundry | 8¼ | 3¼ |
| Can. Car & Foundry Pfd. | 21 | 22½ |
| Canadian Celanese, Com. | 22 | 22½ |
| Canadian Celanese, Pfd. | 112½ | |
| Canadian Converters | 10 | 14 |
| C.P.R. Com. | 5 | 5¼ |
| Cockshutt Plow | 4½ | 5 |
| Consolidated Smelters | 34⅝ | 34 |
| Crown Cork | 38½ | .00 |
| Distillers-Seagrams, Com. | 30⅛ | 31⅝ |
| Dominion Bridge | 26½ | 29 |
| Dominion Coal, Pfd. | 18 | 19⅝ |
| Dominion Steel & Coal "B" | 7⅝ | 7¾ |
| Dominion Tar | 4½ | 9 |
| Dominion Tar Pfd. | 65 | .00 |
| Dominion Textiles | 74 | 75 |
| General Steelwares Com. | 4⅝ | 5 |
| Hamilton Bridge | 3⅝ | 4 |
| Hollinger | 12⅝ | 15 |
| Howard Smith | 11 | 11⅛ |
| Howard Smith Pfd. | | 100 |
| Hudson Bay M. & S. | 25¼ | 26 |
| Intl. Nickel | 32⅝ | 33½ |
| Intl. Petroleum | 14 | 14⅝ |
| Lake of the Woods | 12 | 13¼ |
| Massey-Harris | 3⅝ | 3¼ |
| Montreal Cottons, Pfd. | 113 | |
| Montreal Power | 21 | 22 |
| National Breweries | 30 | 35 |
| National Steel Car | 34 | 34⅝ |
| Noranda | 55½ | |
| Ogilvies | 20⅛ | 30 |
| Ottawa Power | | 7½ |
| Penmans | 43 | |
| Power Corpn. | 4½ | 4 |
| Price Bros. | 8¼ | 11 |
| Price Bros., Pfd. | 67 | 68 |
| Rolland Paper | 8 | 10 |
| St. Lawrence Corpn., Pfd. | 18⅝ | 16½ |
| St. Lawrence Corpn. Pfd. | 94 | |
| Sherwin Williams | 8½ | 8¼ |
| Steel of Canada | 62½ | 63 |
| Steel of Canada Pfd. | 68½ | 69 |

**Curb**

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Abitibi | 70 | 15 |
| Abitibi, Pfd. | 8 | 8⅝ |
| Asbestos | 17½ | 17¼ |
| Bathurst "B" | 2 | 5½ |
| Brewers & Distillers | 4 | 3⅝ |
| Canada & Dominion Sugar | 28¼ | 29 |
| Canada Malting | 35½ | 38¼ |
| Canada Cinecraft | 4½ | |
| Canadian Breweries | 20 | .00 |
| Canadian Breweries, Pfd. | 21½ | 31 |
| Canadian Vickers | 2 | 2⅝ |
| Commercial Alcohols | 170 | 185 |
| Consolidated Paper | 2⅝ | 3 |
| Cub Aircraft | .85 | .00 |
| Donnacona "A" | 2½ | 4 |
| Fairchild | 2 | 4 |
| Fleet Aircraft | 2⅝ | 4½ |
| Ford "A" | 15⅝ | 15½ |
| Fraser Company | 7½ | 8 |
| Massey-Harris, Pfd. | 33 | 34½ |
| McColl-Frontenac, Pfd. | 84 | 86 |
| Page Hersey | 99 | 100½ |
| Royalite Oil | | 18 |
| Hiram Walker | 38⅝ | 38¼ |
| Hiram Walker Pfd. | 19¼ | 20 |

**Banks**

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Bank of Commerce | 131 | |
| Bank of Montreal | 173 | |
| Banque Canadienne Nationale | 148 | 160 |

## Metal Markets

NEW YORK, April 8 (AP)—Copper steady; electrolytic, spot Conn. Valley, 12.00, export, f.a.s. New York, 11.00 to 12.00. Tin, easy; spot and nearby, 51.75; forward, 51.12 1-2. Lead, steady; spot, New York, 5.85 to 5.90, East St. Louis, 5.70. Zinc, steady, East St. Louis, spot and forward, 7.25.

MONTREAL, April 8 (CP)—Spot: Copper, electrolytic, 12.75; tin, 58.75; lead, 5.50; zinc, 5.65; antimony, 18.25, per 100 pounds f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

## Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Bell Telephone | 155½ | 156 |
| B.A. Oil | 17 | 17⅛ |
| B.C. Power "A" | 22⅝ | 24 |
| Burlington Steel | 8½ | |
| Can. Car & Foundry Pfd. | 00 | |
| C.P.R. | 5⅛ | 5¼ |
| Cosmos Imp. Mills | 22 | 25 |
| Con. Mining & Smelting | 34¼ | 35½ |
| Consolidated Paper | 3 | 3⅛ |
| Dominion Bridge | | 33½ |
| Dominion Steel & Coal "B" | 7⅝ | 7⅞ |
| Ford of Canada "A" | 15½ | 18⅝ |
| Gatineau Power 5% Pfd. | 78 | .00 |
| Gatineau Power | | 7¼ |
| Goodyear Tire | 86 | 78 |
| Imperial Oil | 9½ | 9⅜ |
| Imperial Tobacco | 12⅝ | 12⅞ |
| Intl. Metal Indust. 6% Pfd. | 100 | 105 |
| Intl. Metal Indust. "A" | 7⅝ | 8⅛ |
| Intl. Nickel | 33 | 34 |
| Intl. Petroleum | 14 | 15½ |
| Montreal L. H. & P. | 21⅛ | 22⅝ |
| Moore Corpn. | 40⅛ | 45⅝ |
| National Steel Car | 34 | 38 |
| Shawinigan W. & P. | 13⅝ | 14½ |
| Steel of Canada | 67 | 69⅛ |
| Hiram Walker G. & W. | 38⅛ | 39 |
| Bank of Montreal | 175⅛ | |
| Royal Bank | 100 | 135 |
| Canadian Bank of Commerce | 150 | |

## EGG MARKET

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Produce Inspection Service, Victoria, G 2402.

To producer:

| | |
|---|---|
| Grade "A" large | .21 |
| Grade "A" medium | .20 |
| Grade "A" pullet | .18 |

Following are city wholesale:

| | |
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| Grade "A" large | .25 |
| Grade "A" medium | .24 |
| Grade "A" pullet | .22 |

## Mount Zeballos Meeting Is Held

VANCOUVER, April 8 (CP)—Fred M. Connell was re-elected president of Mount Zeballos Gold Mines, Ltd., and Wendell B. Farris, K.C., was reappointed vice-president and director at the company's annual meeting here today.

Other directors are G. P. Macdonnell, O. C. Hyatt, W. B. Lane, R. H. Stewart and L. C. Creery.

Total production for the company last year was reported at $567,028 and ore reserves at 13,934 tons.

A net profit of $211,778 equal to 10.25 cents per share, after all charges was reported for the year ended December 31, 1940. This compares with net profit of $41,095 in the four and a half months of mill operation in 1939.

## Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

| | | | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Dom. of Can. | 1941 | 5 % | 101.00 | 103.50 |
| | 1942 | 5 % | 107.50 | 108.50 |
| | 1944 | 4 % | 100.00 | 109.00 |
| | 1945 | 4 % | 105.00 | 108.00 |
| | 1946 | 4½ % | 108.00 | 110.50 |
| | 1948 | 3½ % | 102.73 | 103.75 |
| | 1943 | 4 % | 100.00 | 106.00 |
| | 1959 | 4½ % | 100.50 | 106.50 |
| | 1950 | 4½ % | 100.22 | 110.25 |
| | 1952 | 3 % | 96.50 | 98.00 |
| | 1966 | 3½ % | 100.00 | 101.00 |
| | Perp. | 3 % | 60.73 | 91.73 |
| | 1968 | 3½ % | 102.73 | 103.73 |
| | 1980 | 3 % | 98.00 | 00.00 |
| 1st War Loan | 1955 | 3½ % | 101.22 | 100.22 |
| 2nd War Loan | 1966 | 3 % | 96.50 | 00.00 |

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| | | | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Can. Nat. Rly. | 1951 | 4½ % | 112.25 | 114.75 |
| | 1957 | 4½ % | 114.50 | 116.00 |
| | 1955 | 4½ % | 113.73 | 117.25 |
| July | 1969 | 5 % | 112.50 | 115.00 |
| Oct. | 1969 | 5 % | 117.50 | 118.00 |
| | 1954 | 3 % | 110.25 | 117.73 |
| | 1953 | 3 % | 97.00 | 98.75 |
| | 1984 | 3 % | 102.78 | 104.00 |
| | 1950 | 3 % | 98.79 | 00.75 |
| | 1960 | 3 % | 00.50 | 97.75 |
| Grand Trunk | 1962 | 3 % | 97.20 | 98.75 |
| | 1962 | 4 % | 100.20 | 110.25 |

## Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

| | Bid | Asked |
|---|---|---|
| Australia 4½s, 1956 | 52.50 | 54.50 |
| Bolivia 7%, 1958 | 4.00 | 3.00 |
| Chile 6%, 1961 | 8.50 | 11.00 |
| Columbia 6%, 1961 | 22.78 | 25.00 |
| German 4½%, 1965 | 7.78 | 8.00 |
| Italy 7%, 1951 | 20.00 | 20.25 |
| Japan 5½%, 1954 | 62.00 | 64.25 |
| Peru 6%, 1961 | 3.50 | 9.00 |
| Sydney 5½%, 1954 | 80.50 | 00.50 |
| United Kingdom 4%, 1990 | 20.25 | 20.50 |

Above prices in New York

### HOLIDAYS FOR MARKETS

TORONTO, April 8 (CP)—Canadian stock and commodity markets will observe Good Friday (April 11) by remaining closed, and the Montreal Stock Exchange will take a holiday also on Easter Monday (April 14). The Toronto and Montreal Stock Exchanges and the Winnipeg Grain Exchange will hold the usual abbreviated session on Saturday, April 12.

VANCOUVER, April 8 (CP)—A. E. Sprange, secretary of Vancouver Stock Exchange, announced today that the market would remain closed Friday, April 11, and Monday, April 14, but would be open for the usual abbreviated session of Saturday, April 12.

### SILBAK PREMIER

VANCOUVER, April 8 (CP)—Silbak Premier Gold Mines, Ltd., reports a net smelter value for March of $118,182 from the milling of 14,056 tons of ore averaging .23 ounces gold and 2.49 ounces silver.

Estimated operating profit before depreciation and depletion was $38,299.

### FOREIGN EXCHANGE

OTTAWA, April 8 (CP)—Official Foreign Exchange Control Board rates unchanged at U.S. dollars buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium. Equivalent discounts on Canadian dollars in New York, buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Sterling in Canadian funds, buying $4.43, selling $4.47.

### BAR GOLD

MONTREAL, April 8 (CP)—Bar gold in London was unchanged at $37.54 an ounce in Canadian funds, 168s in British funds, representing the Bank of England's buying price. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $38.50 in Canadian funds.

## VICTORIAN HONORED BY COLLEGE MEETING

PORTLAND, Ore., April 8—Laurence Wyatt, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wyatt, 930 Foul Bay Road, was one of five Reed College students who attended a conference of the Pacific Northwest International Clubs held at the University of Idaho last week. Twenty-five colleges participated in the discussions.

Wyatt, who was elected vice-president of the conference at Eugene, Oregon, last year, gave the introductory speech for the students in answer to the welcoming address by the president of the University of Idaho. He also participated in various informal group discussions.

He is a junior at Reed College majoring in history.


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# AROUND the DIAL

### TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

6.30 p.m.—Canada's Czechoslovakians will be heard on the "Canadians All" programme, CBR.

### TODAY'S NEWS BROADCASTS

Morning — 8.00, CBR, CJOR, CKWX; 8.15, CFCT, KIRO; 9.00, CBR, KJR, KOL; 10.00, KOL; 10.45, CBR, KJR, CJOR; 11.45, KJR; 12 noon, KOL; 12.05, CKWX.

Afternoon — 12.30, CFCT, CBR, CJOR; 2.00, KIRO, KOL; 2.45, CBR, CJOR; 4.15, KIRO, KOMO, CJOR; 4.45, KOMO; 4.55, CBR; 5.45, KIRO; 5.55, KIRO.

Evening—6.15, KJR; 6.30, CFCT, KOL, CKWX; 7.00, CBR, CJOR; 7.15, KOL; 7.30, CBR; 7.45, CJOR; 8.00, KOL; 8.20, KJR, KOL; 10.00, CKWX, KOMO, KIRO; 10.15, CBR, KIRO; 10.30, KOL; 10.45, CJOR; 11.45, KOL; 11.57, CBR, KOMO, KJR.

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change.)

**8:00** A.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR, CJOR, CKWX). B. Gasle (KOMO). Everyman's Chapel (KJR). Treat Time (KIRO). Debbate (KOL).

**8:15** A.M.—Questions of the Hour (CBR). Against the Storm (KOMO). News (KIRO). Haven of Rest (KOL). Range Rider (CJOR). Peter and Son Programme (CKWX).

**8:30** A.M.—The Balladeer (CBR). As a Man Thinketh (KJR). Dance Time (KOMO). The Goldbergs (KIRO). Breakfast Club (CJOR). Lale Risers Programme (CKWX).

**8:45** A.M.—Wife Saver (CBR). Betty Crocker (KIRO). David Harum (KOMO). Ann Sterling Wonders (KJR). Here's a Song for Today (KOL). Sons of the Pioneers (CKWX).

**9:00** A.M.—News (CBR, KJR, KOL). Victor Lindlahr (KOMO). Kate Smith's Noonday Chats (KIRO). Shut-In Programme (CJOR). Good Morning, Neighbor (CKWX).

**9:15** A.M.—A. Legault, soprano (CBR). Patty Jean Health Club (KJR). When a Girl Marries (KIRO). Connie and Don (KOL). Musical Jackpot (CJOR).

**9:30** A.M.—Morning Serenade (CBR). Voice of Experience (KOMO). National Farm and Home Hour (KJR). Romance of Helen Trent (KIRO). Key Deightiers (KOL). Doc Sellers' True Stories (CKWX).

**9:45** A.M.—L. Henderson, Revacherd-ist (CBR). The Musical Handy Man (KOMO). Our Gal Sunday (KIRO). Arlesne Joe (KOL). Gospel Singer (CJOR). Blees of the Weed (CKWX).

**10:00** A.M.—Boppy Oane (CBR). Heart of Julia Blake (KOMO). Life Can Be Beautiful (KIRO). News With Hughes (KOL). Pets Lost and Found (CJOR). Smilin' Jack (CKWX).

**10:15** A.M.—Ensemble (KOMO). Inquiring Reporter (KJR). Women in White (KIRO). Pietle of Song (KOL). Alan Roth (CJOR). Cassata-Allen (CKWX).

**10:30** A.M.—A. Godfrey (CBR). Dance Orchestra (KOMO). Kay Fouks (KJR). The Right to Happiness (KIRO). Helen Holden (KOL). Victor Bread (CJOR). Rhythm and Romance (CKWX).

**10:45** A.M.—News (CBR). News, Fashions (KJR, 10.50). Dr. Kate (KOMO). Songs of a Dreamer (KIRO). I'll Find My Way (KOL). News (CJOR). Wishart Campbell Sings (CKWX).

**11:00** A.M.—Big Sister (CBR, KIRO, CJOR). Lights of World (KOMO). All Baker's Helpbook (KJR). Our Friendly Neighbors (KOL). Close Harmony (CKWX).

**11:15** A.M.—Life and Love of Dr. Susan (CBR, CJOR). Mystery Man (KOMO). Aunt Jenny's Real Life Stories (KIRO). Winger and Alexander (KOL).

**11:30** A.M.—U.S. Navy Band (CBR). Serenade (KJR). Valiant Lady (KOMO). Fletcher Wiley (KIRO). Midday Concert (KOL). Singin' Sam (CJOR). Organ Masters (CKWX).

**11:45** A.M.—A. Grimm's Daughter (KOMO). News (KJR). Romance of the Brave (KIRO). Starred for Listening (KOL). Cascades of Melody (CJOR).

**12:00** Noon—B.C. Farm Broadcast (CBR). Mary Marlin (KOMO). Orphans of Divorce (KJR). Martha Webster (KIRO). News (KOL). Fourth Floor Studio (CJOR). Wartime Intercession (CFCT). News (CKWX, 12.05).

**12:15** P.M.—Ma Perkins (KOMO). Amanda of Honeymoon Hill (KJR). Golden Treasury of Song (KIRO). Christian Businessmen (KOL). B. Colton (CKWX).

**12:30** P.M.—News (CBR). Pepper Young's Family (KOMO). John's Other Wife (KJR). Kate Hopkins (KIRO). Sane (CJOR). Music for Moderns (CKWX).

**12:45** P.M.—Kathrine Hamilton (CBR). Vic and Sade (KOMO). Just Plain Bill (KJR). Woman of Courage (KIRO). Edith Adams' Future (KOL). To Be Announced (CJOR).

**1:00** P.M.—Show to Save (CBR). Backstage Wife (KOMO). Mother of Mine (KJR). Portia Blake Faces Life (KIRO). We Are Always Young (KOL). Men I Married (CJOR). One o'Clock Revue (CKWX).

**1:15** P.M.—Club Matinee (CBR). Stella Dallas (KOMO). Cecil Selby (KJR). Confessions of Corsair (KOL). Myrt and Marge (KIRO). Sue's Notebook (CJOR).

**1:30** P.M.—For Our Listeners (CBR). Lorenzo Jones (KOMO). Patty Jean Health Club (KJR). The Story of B. Johnson (KIRO). Johnson Family (KOL). Stardust (CKWX).

### New Key Station Wave Lengths

C.B.C. NETWORK—CBR (1130).
N.B.C. RED NETWORK—KOMO (950), KPO (680), KFI (640).
N.B.C. BLUE NETWORK—KJR (1000), KGO (810).
COLUMBIA NETWORK—KIRO (710), KNX (1070), KVI (570).
VANCOUVER—CJOR (600), CKWX (980).
MUTUAL - DON LEE NETWORK—KOL (1300).
VICTORIA—CFCT (1480).

**1:45** P.M.—Rely Word Meditations (CBR). Young Widder Brown (KOMO). Cowboy Joe (KJR). Stepmother (KIRO). Melody Supplement (KOL). Studio Party (CJOR).

**2:00** P.M.—Closing Stocks (CBR). Girl Alone (KOMO). Zollmen at the Organ (KJR). News (KIRO). News (KOL). Studio Party (CJOR). B. Brown's Brevities (CKWX).

**2:15** P.M.—Mirror for Women (CBR). Lone Journey (KOMO). Singin' Sam (KIRO). The Twig Is Bent (KOL).

**2:30** P.M.—Virginia Pair Entertains (CBR). Guiding Light (KOMO). King County Council (KJR). Afternoon Serenade (KOL). Housewives, Inc. (KIRO).

**2:45** P.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR, CJOR). Life Can Be Beautiful (KOMO). Wayne Van Dyne (KJR). Scattergood Baines (KIRO). Let's Play Bridge (KOL).

**3:00** P.M.—Western Five (CBR). The Living God (KOMO). Irene Wicker (KJR). Young Dr. Malone (KIRO). Soldiers Pass Over Crest (KOL). Eugene Jelesnick's Orchestra (KOL, 4.10). Life Can Be Beautiful (CJOR). Afternoon Flower Show (CKWX).

**3:15** P.M.—Message From Sandy MacPherson (CBR). That Girl From Fisher's (KOMO). Hedda Hopper's Hollywood (KIRO). Oud Barton (KJR). Ma Perkins (CJOR). Mille Toppe (CKWX).

**3:30** P.M.—M. Monette, mezzo-soprano (CBR). Homekeeper's Calendar (KOMO). The Munros (KJR). Joyce Jordan, Girl Interne (KIRO). Musical Roundup (KOL). Pepper Young (CJOR). Stringin' Along (CKWX).

**3:45** P.M.—Welcome to Canada (CBR). Ostende Alley (KOMO). Hal Styles (KJR). The World Today (KIRO). Women's Fed and Music (KOL). Right to Happiness (CJOR).

**4:00** P.M.—Musical Mirror (CBR). Fred Waring (KOMO). Raising a President (KJR). The Second Mrs. Burton (KIRO). P. Lewis (KOL). Knee of Life (CJOR). Our Fellowship (CKWX).

**4:15** P.M.—Mr. Keen (KJR). Newsreel (KIRO). Ma Perkins (KOL). News (CJOR). Newsroom (KOMO). South Sea Serenade (CKWX).

**4:30** P.M.—Serenade for Strings (CBR). Down South (KOMO). Easy Does It (KJR). Joe Finger (KIRO). Musical Matinee (KOL). Woman in White (CJOR). Echoes of British Empire (CKWX).

**4:45** P.M.—Newscast (KOMO). Clark Ross (KIRO). Cliff Bansen, News (KOL). Pamona Golden (CJOR). News Comment (CBR, 4.55).

**5:00** P.M.—Orchestra (CBR). Seattle Playgrounds (KOMO). U.S. Army Recruiting (KJR). Father Goose Camp in Town (KIRO). Avenue Bandwagon (KOL). Kansas Cabin (CJOR). Youth in Review (CKWX).

**5:15** P.M.—Jack Armstrong (KOMO). Tom Mix (KJR). Capt. Baelein (KIRO). J. Jodason, songs (CBR). Superman (CKWX).

**5:30** P.M.—Quiz for the Forces (CBR). Charlie Dant's Orchestra (KOMO). Manhattan at Midnight (KJR). Rhinine Hear (KIRO). Shafter Parker Circus (KOL). Superman (CJOR). The Hawk (CKWX).

**5:45** P.M.—Bob Garrard Reporting (KIRO). Elmer Davis, news (KIRO, 5.55). Capt. Midnight (KOL). Dog and Cat Club (CJOR). Orphan Annie (CKWX).

**6:00** P.M.—Orchestra (CBR). Paul Martin's Music (KOMO). Scandinavian Reporter (KJR). T.B.A. (KIRO). Peter King, sports (KOL). Supper Dance (CJOR). Little Concert (CKWX).

**6:15** P.M.—News (KJR). Bill Henry (KIRO). P. Lewis (KOL). Celebrity Salute (CJOR).

**6:30** P.M.—Canadians All (CBR). T.B.A. (KOMO). Jimmy Flynn (KJR). Big Town (KIRO). John B. Hughes (KOL). Sports Review (CJOR). News (CKWX).

**6:45** P.M.—Dinner Dance (KOL). Bara Area (CJOR). Mixers and Matches, music (KOMO). Dinner Diversions (CKWX).

**7:00** P.M.—News (CBR, CJOR). Kay Kyser (KOMO). Handicapped Children's Programme (KJR). Glenn Miller's Orchestra (KIRO). G. Rustey (KOL). At Twilight (CKWX).

**7:15** P.M.—Britain Speaks (CBR). Island Airs (KIRO). News Hunt (KOL). Ember Glow (CJOR).

**7:30** P.M.—B.B.C. Newsreel (CBR). Doctors at Work (KIRO). Adventures of Mr. Meed (KJR). Lone Ranger (KOL). Gandhill Lariais (CJOR). Federal Aunts (CKWX).

**7:45** P.M.—News (CJOR). D. Richards' Orchestra (CKWX).

**8:00** P.M.—Drama (CBR). A Moment With Tona Morina (KOMO). Quiz Kids (KJR). Amos 'n' Andy (KIRO). In Chicago Tonight (KOL). Treasure Trail (CJOR).

**8:15** P.M.—Boo Did You Meet? (KOMO). Lanny Ross (KIRO). D. Blevard, violin (CKWX).

**8:30** P.M.—Big Town (CBR, CJOR). Plantation Party (KOMO). Mixed and Matched (KJR). Dr. Christian (KIRO). Orchestra (KOL). M. Melody (CKWX).

**8:45** P.M.—Today's Frontiers (KJR). Big Town (KOMO). P. Ricolebston (CKWX).

**9:00** P.M.—Family Man (CBR, CJOR). Time to Smile (KOMO). Easy Aces (KJR). Blai Theatre (KIRO). News (KOL). Parade of Bands (CKWX).

**9:15** P.M.—Concert Hall (KJR). Starred for Listening (KOL).

**9:30** P.M.—Classics for Today (CBR). Mr. District Attorney (KOMO). News (KJR). O.O.C. Rose and Orchestra (KOL). Brenard Gordon (CJOR). You'll Like These (CKWX).

**9:45** P.M.—Mixed and Matched (KJR). Light Up and Listen (CKWX).

**10:00** P.M.—Orchestra (KOL). A. Western Time (CBR). News (KOMO). Chuck Foster's Orchestra (KJR). Paul Sullivan Reviews News (KIRO). Dor's Old Timers (CJOR). News (CKWX).

**10:15** P.M.—The News (CBR, KIRO). Listeners Club (KOMO). Movie Day (CKWX).

**10:30** P.M.—Orchestra (CBR). National Defense (KOMO). If You Please, Professor (KJR). News Parade (KOL). Light Up and Listen Club (CJOR). Pop Concert (CKWX).

**10:45** P.M.—Musical Interlude (KIRO). News (CJOR). M. Prager's Orchestra (KOL). At Close of Day (CKWX).

**11:00** P.M.—Glen Gray's Orchestra (KOMO). Fishing News (KJR). Clara, Kees and Jan Ditmars (KIRO). Henry Busse's Orchestra (KOL). Concert Time (CJOR). Down Beat Club (CKWX).

**11:15** P.M.—Dance Orchestra (KJR).

**11:30** P.M.—Orchestra (CBR, KOMO). Nightcap Yarns (KIRO). The Notables (KOL).

**11:45** P.M.—Paul Carson organ (KJR). Memories in Melody (KIRO).

**11:57** P.M.—News Bulletins (CBR, KOMO, KJR).

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1480 Kcs.)

7.30 a.m.—Town Patrol.
7.45 a.m.—Western Time.
8.00 a.m.—Breakfast News.
8.15 a.m.—Musical Chronometer.
8.30 a.m.—Morning Classics.
9.30 a.m.—World Wide Waltzes.
9.45 a.m.—Concert Interlude.
10.00 a.m.—Famous Vocals.
10.30 a.m.—Pratuettes.
11.00 a.m.—Empire Kelote.
11.30 a.m.—Musicprice.
12.00 noon—Wartime Intercession.
12.15 p.m.—Intermezzo.
12.30 p.m.—Midday News.
12.45 p.m.—Concert.
1.00 p.m.—Items of Interest.
1.25 p.m.—World Bookman.
1.30 p.m.—Vocal Varieties.
1.45 p.m.—Gems.
2.00 p.m.—Concert Hour.
3.00 p.m.—Musical Highlights.
3.30 p.m.—Shut-In Programme.
4.00 p.m.—Friendly Hour.
4.30 p.m.—Teal me Tunes.
5.00 p.m.—Monitor Comment.
5.15 p.m.—Old-Time Profile.
5.45 p.m.—Happy Birthday Party.
6.30 p.m.—News Summary.
6.45 p.m.—Studio Scrapbook.
7.00 p.m.—"Verse."
7.15 p.m.—Dance Time.
7.44 p.m.—Candlelight Classics.
8.00 p.m.—Hymnology.
9.00 p.m.—With the Forces.
10.00 p.m.—Old-Timers.

### KOOTENAY BELLE

VANCOUVER, April 8 (CP)—Kootenay Belle Gold Mines, Ltd., report production for March was valued at $27,000 from the milling of 2,796 tons of ore. This compares with $28,376 from 2,818 tons milled in February.

### INCREASES WAIVED

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., April 8 (CP)—A proposed indemnity increase for Mayor Fred Hume and members of city council will be waived for duration of the war, council decided last night. It was proposed to boost the mayor's salary from $1,800 to $2,000 and the aldermen from $450 to $900.


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# She Loved a Spy

By SYLVIA TAYLOR

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CHAPTER III

"If you are able to do the work, that will be sufficient. I want you to be here at night, but you won't have to come until early afternoon. Two hours off for dinner. The salary is fifty dollars a week."

Her green eyes widened. "Fifty dollars a week!"

He said, "Considering the shortage of help, I feel that a smaller salary would not be fair recompense."

"I understand. When do you want me to start?"

"Two o'clock tomorrow afternoon. She rose. "I'll be here."

Just a minute. Miss Leland. I'll give you two weeks' salary in advance."

Joan protested. Did he think she needed money? "It won't be necessary."

He laughed. "You will find that I do business in my own way. It is quite customary for me to pay my employees in advance."

She felt embarrassed and rebuffed as he wrote out a check and handed it to her, but she said quietly, "Thank you very much, Mr. Millier."

He opened the door for her and they hand-touched the knob. Blue eyes gazed into green. He was very close to her.

"I'll expect you tomorrow, then." After all, a personal significance in each of these unimportant words. "Good night, Mr. Miller."

"Good night, Miss Leland." Again she noticed the soft thick accent, the trick of speaking without moving the lips. He was still smiling as she closed the door.

It was almost eleven when Joan arrived home.

"You said you'd telephone," Sybil reminded her. "What happened?"

Without removing hat or coat Joan sank down before the fire. "I got the job all right, Syb. It's a night club. A man named Karl Millier."

"You don't seem very excited," Sybil remonstrated, watching her curiously.

"He's the most interesting man I've ever seen," Joan said softly.

"What does on?" Sybil exploded. "Have you lost your mind?"

Joan rose and laughed shakily. "Sorry, Syb. Anyway, I have a job starting tomorrow and the salary is fifty dollars a week."

"Fifty dollars a week!" Sybil frowned. "There's something wrong with this picture. That's too good a salary for a job without a reference. I don't like it, Joan. What's this Karl Miller like?"

Joan yawned and went into the bedroom. "Take it easy, darling. No doubt he's an American citizen."

"How do you know?" Sybil demanded.

I don't. Joan admitted slipping into the pale green pajamas. "Come on to bed, Syb. Let's not argue about it tonight."

Sybil opened the windows to the evening's wail of forgiveness. "What are your hours?"

"I don't have to be there until two and I work until around past midnight."

"Joan, I'm not going to let you take that job unless something happens to me."

Joan pulled the covers up over her chin. Her hair spilled like liquid jet over the white pillow case. "It will be fun working at a night club. I'm almost glad that Mr. Millier fired me."

There was silence for a moment. Then Sybil said, "Fired you?"

She sat up, the chill air rushed into her cheerful room. It was high-ceilinged with twin beds, two dressing tables a small desk and a chintz-covered rocker that matched the draperies.

Sybil wound the last golden curl on a bobby pin and tied a net over her hair. "You're getting into something. I have a feeling."

At least I won't be bored. You know, Syb, I've always wanted to have something exciting happen to me."

"Something like Karl Miller?" Sybil questioned, shrewdly.

"Perhaps."

Sybil snapped off the light. Don't be foolish, Joan." You couldn't possibly be in love with a man you've met only once."

Joan smiled in the darkness. "Why not?"

"Because that isn't love!" If you'd ever really been in love you'd know the difference."

Maybe I already know the difference." Joan thought remembering a pair of shrewd blue eyes, an expressionless mouth beautifully shaped, mouth a powerfully built man with strangely prehensile hands, a man who spoke with a fascinating accent, a compelling voice.

"Infatuation and love are two different things." Sybil's voice cut through the darkness.

But Joan was hearing another voice, a voice that put its imprint into the most commonplace words as it said, "I'll expect you tomorrow."

San Francisco crept covered by its master blanket of fog filled by the deep diurnal wavering that dropped over the bay and along the coast. And presently Joan Leland slept too, her heart full of anticipation for the morrow.

But Sybil in a snake shivering in spite of the warm crown wondering almost afraid of a tomorrow that might be fraught with sinister significance she felt and mistrusted.

(To Be Continued.)

## What Today Means

"ARIES"

It April 8 is your birthday the le t hour, for you on this date are from 10 4-5 a m to 12 45 p m, from 2 45 to 4 45 p m and from 6 45 to 10 45 p m. The danger periods are from 4 45 to 10 45 a m from 6 45 to 8 45 p m and from 10 45 p m until midnight.

Preconceived ideas and opinions are apt to undergo radical changes on April 9 so do not be surprised if you have to readjust yours. Trivial matters will be given consideration if they are ignored as such particular attention to small details which may have a bearing on matters of importance. A great deal of trouble may develop because people are sometimes careless in what they say and how they say it. Curb your tongue if you do not wish to be involved in disputes. Be careful that you do not, through forgetfulness, hurt the feelings of sensitive and intelligent persons especially if this is their birthday. The average individual is apt to take companionship on this date, so do not make a deaf ear to any appeal. You may receive to satisfy this longing. Married and engaged couples, as well as sweethearts may feel drawn very close together on this day if their hearts.

If a woman and April 9 is your birthday, you probably feel that you must have space and plenty of it. In order to move about and breathe freely. A lack of elbow room may have a strange reaction on you, so try to live in spacious quarters—in the country rather than in the city. You should find congenial employment as a florist, modiste, lecturer, draughtsman, buyer, sales agent, author, actress or operating a business of your own.

The child born on April 9 usually is a bright and agreeable youngster with an attractive, interesting line of chatter. Affection and encouragement will stimulate this child's efforts to do good, consistent work. The future outlook for Aries children appears to be most promising.

If a man and April 9 is your natal day, optimism will carry you forward, so form the habit of living optimistic. You must set yourself a goal if you are an objective in life worth striving for. Honesty is the best policy—make it yours if you aspect success to crown your efforts as a musician, lawyer, financier, promoter, public employee, salesman, manufacturer, literary man, journalist, author, artist, business executive, or in some mechanical activity.

—Reviewed by The Bell Syndicate, Inc.

## Too Many Crows Around Nanaimo

NANAIMO, April 8. The City Council believes there are too many crows in the vicinity of the city and have offered to co-operate with the Nanaimo Game and Fish Association to get rid of some of them. The association is offering a prize of $25 to anyone who suggests the best method of quick extermination. The association, however, reserves the right to demand a demonstration of the method before paying a cent.

## Two Boys and Dog Dip in Shawnigan

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, April 8 — Two boys in a canoe and a dog that wouldn't behave formed the top attraction in a mishap on mid-lake over the week-end. John Ratsbone and David Andrews were tipped out of their final craft and the dog was the cause of it. Ratsbone clung to the canoe, while his companion swam to shore for assistance. Boat, boys and Ratsbone was rescued. The dog swam ashore.

## LYIN' JENNY

*A "Ride" With Strato*

By Russell Keaton

NOW, YOU PILOT YOUR PLANE WITH ZE BAD WING, SENOR, EASY?
M-95 DARE WEEL DO IT, FLY? PLEASE? DOOEN OUT MY SHIP, POINTO?
A GOLD WALLET! HIS NAME ON IT! JUST A SOUVENIR!
THESE FRAGILE ETS WEEL KEEP YOUR HANDS OUT OF MY SHIP IF YOU PLEESE!
YOU DETESTABLE WORM! PLAYING THE DUAL ROLL OF STRATO AND THE DEVOTED NEPHEW OF THE PRESIDENT! ALL IN ONE BREATH!
YESS! AND MY CAREER AS AN ACTOR IS NOW ENDED!
BUT HIDDEN UNDER THE WING IS AN AUTOMATIC PISTOL, LEVELED AT JENNY!

## MUTT AND JEFF

*Business Seems to Have Been Slow Lately*

By Bud Fisher

I'M A FOOL TO EXPECT A PRETTY GIRL TO MARRY ME! I'LL CALL ON MISS CLUTTS - SHE'S MORE IN MY CLASS AND SHE'LL BE BETTER THAN NO WIFE AT ALL!
MISS CLUTTS, YOU AND I ARE PRETTY MUCH ALIKE! WE'RE BOTH FORTY AND SINGLE! WE'RE BOTH LONELY! I'M NO CLARK GABLE AND YOU'RE NO HEDY LAMARR YOURSELF!
WHAT? THE NERVE!
YOU'RE BRUTALLY FRANK, YOU RUN! JUST WHAT ARE YOU DRIVING AT?
WELL, TO COME TO THE POINT - LET'S GET MARRIED!
MARRIED? MY GOSH, WHO'D HAVE EITHER OF US?
LOOK! SHE'S DUMB JUST LIKE ME, TOO!
OH, IS SHE?

## MARY WORTH'S FAMILY

By Dale Allen

AUNT MARY, WHAT'S WRONG WITH ME? IT'S WHITE
HE WAS PERFECTLY WELL WHEN I TUCKED HIM IN - AND WAS SLEEPING QUIETLY WHEN I WENT TO BED!
ABOUT MIDNIGHT HE WOKE ME UP COUGHING - A HORRID, BARKING COUGH! IT SEEMED TO BE GETTING WORSE, SO I CALLED THE DOCTOR - AND YOU!
ISN'T HE ANY BETTER, WHAT DOES THE DOCTOR SAY?
HERE, HE IS - WE CAN ASK HIM!
CROUP - VERY NEVER CASE. BRING THE KETTLE OF HOT WATER, MRS. WORTH!

## SUPERMAN

*Charlie Sees the Light*

By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

YOU'VE BEEN TURNIN' THEM OLD NEWSPAPER PAGES AND TAKIN' NOTES FOR TWO HOURS. WHAT GOES ON?
THREE HOURS LATER....
WAKE UP CHARLIE — WE'RE READY TO GO.
MM-WHAT...? OKAY, CHIEF!
NOW, I'LL EXPLAIN, CHARLIE! I WAS COMBING THE DAILY PLANET FILES FOR A COMPLETE RECORD OF SUPERMAN'S EXPLOITS DURING THE LAST THREE YEARS. MY NOTES PROVE HE'S THE GREATEST FOR OF CRIME THE WORLD HAS EVER SEEN!
I COLOR TOLD YOU THAT IN THE FIRST PLACE ANY SAVED YOU A LOT OF WORK!
DON'T YOU SEE? NOW I'VE PROOF WITH WHICH I CAN ROUSE THE CRIMINAL WORLD! WITH THE ENTIRE RESOURCES OF THE UNDERWORLD PITTED AGAINST HIM, SUPERMAN WON'T HAVE A CHANCE!
SA-AAY! THAT'S CLEVER!

## POPEYE

VENUS? MARS? SATURN? JUPE?
C'MON, I'M READY
YOU THINK SO?
HM! BIRDS MAY BE CAUGHT WITH SALT
I TOLDJA I WAS READY
CRAK
THE SEA GOON HAS TAKEN TO THE AIR ONCE MORE
WAS BUT THIS TIME HE IS NOT FLYIN'
ARF ARF
I MUS' TALK WITH HIM
LATER. WE WILL PUT HIM IN A CELL NOW
A CELL, SIR? YOU MEAN A HENCOOP
NO, POPEYE MEANS AN AQUARIUM
UGH!
FLOP

## POP

*Pop Pays a Compliment*

By J. Millar Watt

YOU KNOW, POP, THERE ARE STILL A LOT OF SILLY FOOLS WHO DON'T LIKE MY PICTURES!
NEVER MIND, OLD CHAP -
THERE ARE STILL A LOT WHO DO!
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## BLONDIE

*Blitzkrieg in the Suburbs*

By Chic Young

SOMEONE DROVE A CAR RIGHT OVER OUR LAWN LAST NIGHT! - LOOK AT THE TIRE TRACKS, HERBERT!
AND THEY KNOCKED DOWN OUR FENCE
I HEARD A CAR SO TOOK ME OUT OF BUMSTEAD'S ABOUT THREE A.M.
HE'S HAD HIS CAR PAINTED UP THE STREET WITH THE ENGINE RUNNING FOR THE PAST WEEK
THEY MUST'VE BEEN GOING A HUNDRED MILES AN HOUR WHEN THEY HIT THAT FIRE PLUG
YOU MIGHT AS WELL GO HOME AND WAIT - I'LL PHONE YOU
I FEEL SO USELESS
OUIJA DEPOSE
4-9

## LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher

# Business and Professional Directory, Want Ads

The Daily Colonist

RATES FOR CLASSIFIED OR WANT ADVERTISEMENTS

Two cents a word each insertion, twelve cents a word a week, with a minimum of ten words, cash with order. No advertisements accepted for less than twenty-five cents.

Death and Funeral Notices, $1.50 first insertion, $1.00 for each additional insertion. Marriages, Cards of Thanks and In Memoriam Notices, $1.50 per insertion.

Birth Notices, $1.00 per insertion.

Advertisers who desire may have replies forwarded to their private address. A charge of ten cents is made for mailing replies. In this case add three words ("Box ... Colonist") to the count for the number of words.

Out-of-town readers of our advertisements are advised to give address as well as phone numbers, as it is not always possible to communicate through the phone.

Any claim for rebate on account of error or omissions must be made within thirty days from the date of the same, otherwise claim will not be allowed.

The Colonist will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one issue.

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To insure insertion, Classified Ads should reach The Colonist before 9 p.m. on the day previous to publication.

Classified Ads for The Sunday Colonist will be accepted up to 9 p.m. on Saturdays.

CLASSIFICATIONS

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## 3 DEATHS (Continued)

CALDWELL—On Tuesday, April 8, at St. Joseph's Hospital, there passed away Robert Caldwell, aged eighty-four years, of 2121 Cook Street. The late Mr. Caldwell was born in Coleraine, Ireland, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past thirty-one years. He is survived by his widow, three daughters, Mrs. F. W. Fuller, 808 Fairfield Road, Mrs. R. Williamson, Renata, and Miss Kathleen, at home, and one son, Robert John, of 1083 Princess Avenue; also four grandchildren, one brother in Australia, one brother in Ireland, a sister in Alberta and a sister in Portland, Ore.

Funeral ... Funeral Chapel. Rev. F. W. Anderson will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

KIDD—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on April 7, 1941, Andrew Beveridge Kidd, of 2733 Higgins Street, in his fifty-eighth year; born in Fifeshire, Scotland, and a resident of Victoria for thirty-three years. Survived by his wife, two sons, Andrew Beveridge Kidd, Jr., and James Gray Kidd, and one daughter, Mrs. Joseph Pye. The late Mr. Kidd was a life member of Masonic Lodge ... in ... Scotland.

Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday, at 3.00 p.m. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

NIVEN—There passed away on Monday, April 7, at the family residence, 1090 Tattersall Drive, George Campbell Niven, aged sixty-ten years. The late Mr. Niven was born in Scotland and is mourned by his widow and one son, also brothers in Scotland. He was a veteran of the first Great War.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday afternoon in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel at 2.30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

## 5 IN MEMORIAM

COBB—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Lawrence Cobb, who passed away April 9, 1939.

Today recalls a memory
Of a loved one gone to rest,
And those who think of him today
Are those who loved him best.

Inserted by his loving father, mother and sister Evelyn.

## FUNERAL DIRECTORS

McCALL BROS.

DOUBLE SERVICE IN WANT ADS

You can telephone your answers as well as your classified advertisements to The Colonist. Readers are often interested in Want Advertisements that do not carry the names or addresses of advertisers ... convenient to write an answer and to ... the advertiser better.

We Will Take Replies to Box Numbers Over the Telephone

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## 21A HAIRDRESSERS AND BEAUTY SPECIALISTS (Continued)

WE DO PERMANENT WAVES, MARCELS, finger waves, hair styles, pin curls, manicures, hair dyeing, bleaching, haircutting, scalp treatments, eye lash dyeing. La France Beauty Salon, 727 Yates Street. G 7142.

WEDNESDAY SPECIAL
HOT OIL SHAMPOO
And
FINGER WAVE
PHONE EARLY AND AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT
AVALON BEAUTY SHOP

## 38 BUSINESS DIRECTORY (Continued)

A BIG SALE—SPECIAL FOR 100 CORDS dry wood, mixed with inside blocks, for five days only. Best wood in town. Our blocks never go to water so it is better than cordwood. We guarantee this is the cleanest wood in town and also good for all around use. We remind our customers to order now as there will be a shortage of this wood later on. The regular $4.00 now only for $3.25 1½ cords, $4.50 2 cords, $6.70 3 cords, $8.50. Prompt service, all C.O.D. Millerest Fuel Co. Phone G 5010.

ALL DRYLAND UP-ISLAND THICK ... C.O.D. Blocks ... First-growth dry cordwood, any lengths, $7.00. Old John Wood, 2014 Douglas. E 3743.

ALL COOPERAGE WOOD AGENCY—Best quality bone-dry stovewood, $5 a cd. Kindling, $1.50 ½ cd. Furnace millwood, $3.75 cd. All-fir first-grade screened sawdust, bulk $2.75, sacked $3.50. E 5614.

ALL SCREENED SAWDUST—BULK, $1.75 ... units, $3.30, 1 unit, sacked, $3.30. Mix in fir 12-inch for fireplace, heater and furnace, ready to burn. Special sale, $1.95 ... 2 cds, $3.50. E 6303.

ALL COOPERAGE WOOD, 100 PER cent fir, mostly inside ... cd ... Kindling, $3.75 cd. Stovewood, ready to burn ... half cd. E 5623.

ALL COOPERAGE WOOD CO.—Bone-dry stovewood ... cd. Kindling ... cd. Furnace millwood, $3.75 cd. G 2341.

A BARGAIN YOU CAN DEPEND ON—Up-Island fir, 3 full cords, $10. Ronald Hosting Coal & Wood Co. F 7914.

BONE-DRY MALAHAT FIRWOOD, mixed, $3.50 cord ... No. 1 fir slabwood, $3.75 cord, 2 cords, $7.00. Inside fir blocks, ready to burn, $4.00 cord. Shawnigan Douglas Fir Wood Co. F 3914.

BEST YOUBOU OR MALAHAT SAWdust, $4.00 sacked. J. & Painter & Sons, 817 Cormorant St. Phone G 3541.

DRY FIR MILLWOOD, CLEAN, NO rubbish ... cord. B 6663.

FOR THE BEST SAWDUST IN TOWN phone E 6401. Alert Service Co.

## 40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

### 40E MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

CAMPBELL'S PROFESSIONAL BOEHM system clarinets, $79.50. Terms.

FLETCHER BROS. (Victoria) LTD.
1130 Douglas Street Phone G 7145

CLARINET, $12.50; C MELODY SAX, $34. Riceling, 700 Johnson Street.

### 40F RADIO

... repaired ... Radios at give-away prices. Aeroness's, 1320 Government. G 6793.

RCA VICTOR 1941 BATTERY RADIO, $35. Also Guitar, ... tuned condition ... Willis, Lagoon Road, Metchosin.

RADIO REPAIRS—All makes. Guaranteed service. Call and delivered. G 3118.

RADIO REPAIRS—All makes. Guaranteed service. Call and delivered. G 3112.

### 40H NURSERY STOCK, PLANTS, ETC.

AGRICULTURAL LIME, GARDEN ROCK. Victoria Lime Co. Phone Belmont 58K.

NOW IS THE TIME
GET YOUR SPRING PLANTING DONE
Everything for the Garden
712 Fort St.—G 3723
LAYRITZ NURSERIES

IMPROVED SOVEREIGN STRAWBERRY plants, $1.50 per thousand. J. Wheeler, Oldfield Road, Royal Oak.

LANDSCAPING, ROCK GARDENS, trees, shrubs, expert work. Free estimate. Prospect Lake Nurseries. Col. 58N.

LARGE-BERRIED BOLLT'S SEEDS strawberry plants ... Langford.

PLANTING! See our stock of hardy heather, new shrubs, rhodos, etc. ... Nursery, 3055 Meadow Place. G 3556.

THE MAIN CAUSE OF DAMAGE TO plants, etc. ... Death available at all dealers.

## 40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

READY-MIXED PAINT, $2.75 GALLON. White and colors. Wears well, covers well. Hart-Andrews Paints, Ltd., 711 View Street.

ROTTED MANURE, WEEDLESS, ODORless, finest fertilizer, 30c box. G 3766.

TARPAULINS — WATERPROOFED TARpaulins, sizes 10 x 12, 12 x 16, 14 x 18, 18 x 20 and 20 x 30. Your inspection of these tarpaulins solicited.

CAPITAL IRON & METALS LTD.

F. 4.5 ... FOCAL PLANE ZEISS ... three double plate holders, film sheath, pack adapter, accessories, leather carrying case, $30. Box 7061 Colonist.

WATERPROOF CLOTHING, SHORT oilskin or rubber, all sizes. F. Jeune & Bro. Ltd., 570 Johnson Street. G 4632.

LOOSE LEAF REQUIREMENTS
Standard Size Ledger and Columnar Sheets and Binders in Stock
Special Loose-Leaf Ruled Forms and Blank Books Made to Order
THE COLONIST
Commercial Department
1211 Broad Street

50c Room Up—Floors waxed, polished. Expert ... G 5030.

## 41 WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

A REPUTATION FOR PAYING HIGHEST prices for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture or anything you wish to discuss ... We call anywhere, any time. G 6752.

ANY BOOKS BOUGHT FOR CASH, ANY quantity. Used Book Dept. Diggon's.

BEST PRICES PAID FOR USED WASHers, refrigerators, vacuum cleaners, radios. G 6118.

BOOKS BOUGHT FOR CASH AT Hunter's, 1119 Government. E 3841.

CASH FOR TABLE MODEL RADIOS ...

## 51 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT (Continued)

CLEAN, COMFORTABLE HOUSEKEEPing rooms, 1612 McClure ... Ave. E ...

COSY HOUSEKEEPING BED-SITTING room, refined home, 507 Vancouver.

FURNISHED ROOM, 1625 ELFORD ST. Phone E 2706.

LARGE FURNISHED ROOM, GROUND floor ... kitchen, single lady preferred ... Rockland.

... rooms and apartments.

VICTORIA WEST—LARGE NICELY FURnished housekeeping room ... Russell Street.

WALKING DISTANCE, REASONABLE ... Road.

WELL FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms. Close in. G 7919.

### 51B UNFURNISHED

2 UNFURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT ... Phone E 1878.

## 53 FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT

AILSA MANSIONS — UNFURNISHED. Exceptionally serviced ...

AT MOUNT EDWARDS — FURNISHED apartment, two bedrooms, sitting-room, kitchen and bathroom. Adults only.

A THREE-ROOM UNFURNISHED FLAT, clean and bright, $25 including light, water and fuel. Vacant April 15. Adults ... G 5109.

A BEST NEW APARTMENTS — VERY modern, reasonable rents. Apply E. E. Heath, 620 Yates Street.

ATTRACTIVE THREE-ROOM FURnished suite, private bath ... Adults only ...

... COLLINSON STREET APARTMENTS ...

# A Mart for Busy Readers—Property for Sale or Trade

TO OUT-OF-TOWN SUBSCRIBERS

Out-of-town subscribers who wish to answer advertisements in which only the telephone number of the advertiser is given may mail their replies to The Colonist and The Colonist will communicate such replies to the advertiser.

## 65 AUTOMOBILES (Continued)

**EGGS IS CERTIFIED CARS**
**BETTER BY MILES**

BUY YOUR NEXT USED CAR FROM the dealer and not be set back by it! Buy from a dealer who has been in the same location for years! Here's how there are some better.

**FOR YOUR COMPARISON**

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| 3410 OR SOTO CUSTOM RUMBLE SEAT COUPE | $465 |
| 3404 CHRYSLER ROYAL NUMBER SEAT COUPE | $595 |
| 3391 CHEVROLET DE LUXE TWO-DOOR SEDAN | $795 |
| 3336 STUDE TOUR-DOOR SEDAN | $795 |
| 3316 PONTIAC DE LUXE TWO-DOOR SEDAN | $795 |
| 3310 CHRYSLER ROYAL FOUR-DOOR SEDAN—Driven by a particular owner | $895 |
| 3308 CHEVROLET TWO-DOOR SEDAN—Radio | $875 |

**10 OTHERS TO CHOOSE FROM**

Terms and Location. Phone G1146
407 View Street Cowichie Alex Trevitte
And Our Mammoth
VIEW STREET BARGAIN LOT
Near Quadra

**BROS MOTORS COMPANY LTD**
Plymouth - Chrysler - Dodge - De Soto

IF YOU HAVEN'T TRIED THE 1941 PONTIAC YOU ARE DUE FOR A SURPRISE
PRICED FROM $1305 AT VICTORIA
It You Don It at Pioneers, It's All Right

BUICK SEDAN—It couldn't run any better if it was new and the Buick brake and lug is without a shimmy.
$1395

EXPERT Body Fender Repairs and Refinishing. All Work Guaranteed. At Quadra
PAGNOL HYDRAULIC BODY, FENDER AND PAINT SHOP. Phone G 6612

BUY WELL—SELL-O-RIGHT BEGAN Corner
GOING OVERSEAS—1937 FORDOR, OR 1936 sedan or tourer, Ford's four tires, 40 m.p. perfect condition. $750
MARVIN — GOVERNMENT SALVAGE — Monday 2 and 3 — Buick 1-ton and Chevrolet 1-ton Trucks, Government Motorcycles, Typewriters, Office Furniture, Marine conversions. 1942 Crosley Shopper $ 299

**BIGGER ALLOWANCES AND BETTER DEALS IN APRIL**
AT WILSON & CARELESS
OUR NEW CHEVROLET SALESMEN Viking Bay Motors, Ltd., 1010 Douglas St. Phone G 7181
1937 CHEVROLET COUPE
DE LUXE MODEL, RUMBLE SEAT. Beautiful inside upholstering. $745
JONES BROS. SERVICE STATION
Tolmie at Quadra Phone E 6822
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1936 FORD DE LUXE COUPE $525
1937 FORD $650
1936 PONTIAC $650
TUDOR $495
1936 FORD DE LUXE TUDOR $495
1931 CHEVROLET MASTER SEDAN $175
1930 PLYMOUTH $495
1931 PLYMOUTH $495
1931 OLDSMOBILE SEDAN $495
1931 CHEVROLET MASTER COUPE $495
1930 CHEVROLET MASTER COUPE $495
1936 WRECKING PLUS CHEVROLET $1250
1937 CHEVROLET SEDAN $1250
1937 CHEVROLET LIGHT DELIVERY $450
1936 CHEVROLET LIGHT VAN $450
1936 FORD LIGHT DELIVERY $495
1936 CHEVROLET SEDAN $975
1936 FLEETLINE SEDAN $975
DELIVERY $975
NATIONAL MOTOR COMPANY LTD.
615 Yates Street Phone G 7171
"Where Customers Send Their Friends"

SPECIAL
1934 GRAHAM 8 SUPER-CHARGER SEDAN
THIS SIX-CYLINDER SEDAN IS one of the finest cars ever built. Smart Streamline styling unsurpassed performance and power with economy. Equipped with Safety Glass throughout, Electric Clock, Heater, Defroster, merchandising perfect, very low mileage. Don't miss this! Phone G 7181

**$685**

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Sole Dealers
1010 Yates Street Phone G 7181
If You Can It at Plimley's, It's All Right

FORD 1936 TUDOR—Very good $365
BUICK 1936 SEDAN—Up to 40 miles per gallon $445
DODGE 1936 SEDAN—A real buy $445
WILLYS 1936 COUPE—A little beauty $345
PONTIAC COACH—Good mechanical condition $165
MARTINDALE MOTOR CO. LTD. Phone E 7161

AUSTIN 7 SALOON ..... $375
10 1930 SEDAN ..... $195
1931 CHEVROLET SEDAN ..... $295
DELIVERY ..... $195
1932 STUDEBAKER SEDAN ..... $350
BURTON & WILLIAMS MOTOR LTD.
1307 Blanshard Street Phone E 6121

We Finance Our Purchases—Low Rate of Interest
On Council Business—By Reference
GILLESPIE HART & CO. LTD.
811 Fort Street Phone G 1161-6

AUTO SALES FINANCED
On a basis of 10% down and 2% a month on the unpaid balance
1938 BUICK 40 COUPE—Custom built, one owner, low mileage, like new $1295
1937 CHEVROLET DE LUXE SEDAN—Only driven by one owner $695
1936 CHEVROLET COACH—Good running order $195 or $10 down
1931 CHEVROLET COACH—Good condition $125
1930 CHEVROLET SEDAN—A real buy $95
1930 PONTIAC COACH—Good running order $95
1929 CHEVROLET COUPE—Good for the money $75
WANTED
CASH FOR YOUR CAR FOR WRECKING
CASH FOR YOUR CAR. WANTED
CASH FOR YOUR CAR
WE WILL BUY YOUR CAR FOR CASH OR SELL IT FOR YOU
BRING YOUR CAR TO US OR PHONE FOR AN APPRAISAL
JONES BOB SERVICE STATION
Tolmie at Quadra
884 Yates Street Phone E 6851

## 67 BOATS AND LAUNCHES

A SCHOOL, CRAISE, SKADDLES, MOORings, Anchors, Chains, Blocks, Canvas Goods. Shipchandler, Ltd.
FOR SALE—CABIN CRUISER, 24 FT. 2 inches, 6 cylinder Chevrolet engine, fully equipped. Apply Box 3, Colonist.
FOR SALE—SAILBOAT FOR PANTICton, 21 ft. $250
SCHOOL, CRUISERS, MOTOR AND SAILING launches, marine engine contractors
SPECIAL PROPELLERS MADE. CAMshafts, Crankshafts Repaired. Ideal Engineering
THE NEW REVERSIBLE AND RETO MOTOR. Sales, Service and Spares. Bert Bowden Boston, Yates and Quadra E 6612
PARTS AND WORK DONE ON ALL MAKES OF ENGINES FOR BOATS
BEST PRICES PAID FOR HULLS AND ENGINES FOR WRECKING
PACIFIC AUTO WRECKING CO. LTD
207 VIEW STREET PHONE E 7323
DAMON COVE SHIPYARDS, LTD.
Phone G 8.
Cowichan Yachtsmen's Service
OUTBOARD MOTOR REPAIRS—Any make—any condition. Also outboard motors for sale. Work guaranteed. Phone G 7181
SEE OUR NEW 1941 OUTBOARD MOTORS
SUN-DIAL'S UNDERBODY HOIST, complete with gas engine for sale, perfect condition. G 6137
WANTED
USED CABIN FOR CABIN CRUISER, MOTOR 30/40. Yates and Quadra Entrance

1940 CHEVROLET COACH. Has been very well kept. $535
1936 FORD TUDOR. Motor overhauled $525
1930 CHEVROLET CABRIOLET $175
Beale Good Trucks at Close-Up Prices
CECIL EYE MOTORS LTD.
Yates and Quadra Sts.

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1935 CHEVROLET DE LUXE COACH. Fully guaranteed. Reduced $445
1936 DODGE DE LUXE SEDAN—Fully guaranteed. Reduced $445
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JUDICIAL SALE OF PROPERTY OF WILLIAM CHARLES HEATHER, DECEASED.
NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to the judgment pronounced on the 26th day of March, 1941, in the Supreme Court of British Columbia in the action of Bertha Cruickshank to Alexander Harold Heather and Reginald Heather, I am appointed by the Solicitors of the Plaintiff and Defendants, Official Administrator of the Estate of William Charles Heather, deceased, and I am directed to sell the property of the said deceased, which consists of the following real property described as Lot 1, Block 1, Section 1, Range 1, Map 1, Victoria City, Plan 1, Victoria City, Plan 1, Victoria City, Plan

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The following special fares are being offered by the Gulf Islands ferry between SWARTZ BAY and FULFORD HARBOR, on all schedules from Friday, April 4th, to Monday, April 7th, 1941, inclusive:

| | Return |
|---|---|
| Cars between 1,200 lbs and 2,000 lbs | $0.85 |
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Regular service will be maintained by the ferry, Cy Peck, during the Easter Holiday period.

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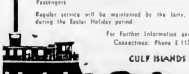

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# MARINE—TRANSPORTATION

## BIG TOLL OF SHIPS TAKEN

### Tonnage This Year Reported During March

LONDON, April 8 (CP)—Failure of merchant ships to turn up sent the British Admiralty and neutral shipping losses for two of the past five weeks to approximately 150,000 tons each, heaviest toll of 1941 in the battle of the Atlantic—authoritative sources declared today.

The average weekly loss of shipping during March was placed by the Admiralty at 98,000 tons.

Amended losses for the week ended March 2 listed thirty ships totaling 150,700 tons—the biggest loss of any week this year. For the week ended March 16 amended losses were given as twenty-seven ships of 146,000 tons.

**LOSSES DECLINE**

Losses declined during the week ended March 23 to seventeen ships aggregating 98,141 tons, the Admiralty report said, and went up again the following week to twenty ships of 77,575 tons.

The breakdown of losses for the week ending March 30 British, thirteen ships, 58,870 tons. Allied five ships, 19,975 tons, and neutrals, two ships 3,730 tons.

In the same week the Axis claimed 199,000 tons sunk, the Admiralty said.

Here are figures for the week ended March 16 already had been amended, apart from latest reports, up to seventeen—and from 77,775 tons to 94,402

**MAY WELL DECIDE**

In announcing the latest losses an Admiralty source declared the battle of the Atlantic "may well decide the result of the war."

This source said the battle "must continue over a period of months with considerable anxiety and endurance by merchant seamen and the Royal Navy, and added: We must not underrate its immensely difficult problem."

It was announced that the average weekly shipping toll since the start of the war—including the losses at Dunkerque was 66,745 tons and the weekly average for February 40,000 tons.

An Admiralty statement said Britain had removed 20,000,000 gross tons of shipping since the start of the war.

"The greater part of this was tonnage the statement said arrived unscathed by the enemy."

## *Training School Flyers Killed in Fall of Airplane*

PICTON, Ont., April 8 (CP)—Two members of the Royal Canadian Air Force training school here were killed instantly when their plane crashed on the ice of Adolphus Bay, five miles away.

They were P/O K N Armistead of Los Angeles and AC Jean Eugene Bataille of Farnham, Que. Officials of the school said Bataille had been with the French army before joining the R C A F.

VANCOUVER, April 8 (CP)—AC Jean Eugene Bataille, killed in action

### MAIL AND SHIPS

**WEATHER REPORTS**

BRITISH COLUMBIA—Moderate to fresh southerly winds; mostly cloudy and unsettled.

VICTORIA—Fresh southeast, moderate 29.66 30 degrees rain.

VANCOUVER—Fresh southeast, light 29.68 40 degrees rain.

PRINCE RUPERT—Light southeast, moderate 29.66 40 degrees rain.

KAMLOOPS—Calm, 29.72 40 degrees rain.

**COASTING CRAFT**

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — S.S. Princess Kathleen or S.S. Princess Margaret to sail from Victoria 11 p.m. daily except Sunday, 7 p.m. Sunday; from Vancouver 11 p.m. daily except Saturday, 8 a.m. Saturday. Phone E 7511.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE — S.S. Princess Kathleen or S.S. Princess Margaret to sail from Victoria at 8:30 a.m. daily except Sunday, 10 p.m. Sunday; from Seattle 11 p.m. daily except Sunday, 8 a.m. Monday. Will arrive Union Bay 1 p.m. daily except Sunday.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE (AIRPLANE) — Overnight plane leaves Victoria daily for Port Angeles and Seattle. Leaves Victoria 8:30 a.m. daily from Port Angeles at 8:30 a.m. daily except Sunday. Leaves Seattle 4:30 p.m. daily except Saturday. Day plane leaves Victoria 10:30 a.m. daily except Wednesday, for Port Angeles and Seattle. Leaves Seattle 4:30 p.m. daily except Saturday. Leaves Port Angeles at 5:30 p.m. daily except Wednesday, at 5:30 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER — S.S. Motor Vessel Cy Peck to sail from Victoria 8:15 a.m. daily, Monday to Saturday, 4 p.m. Sunday; from Vancouver 11 p.m. daily except Saturday, 8 a.m. Saturday. Phone E 1177.

WEST COAST—S.S. Princess Maquinna or S.S. Princess Joan to sail from Victoria 11 p.m. April 12 and 26, May 10 and 24. Will call at Ucluelet and Port Alberni. Phone E 7511.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — S.S. Princess Elaine to sail from Nanaimo 8:30 a.m. daily except Sunday, 4:30 p.m. Sunday; from Vancouver 2:30 p.m. daily except Sunday, 8:30 p.m. Sunday. Phone E 7511.

VANCOUVER-NANAIMO — S.S. Princess Alice to sail from Vancouver 8:30 a.m. daily except Sunday, 4:30 p.m. Sunday; from Nanaimo 2:30 p.m. daily except Sunday, 8:30 p.m. Sunday. Phone E 7511.

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**Veteran of Canadian Pacific Retires**

As Engineer F. W. Cork started his last run to North Bend last week, C. A. Cotterell, assistant general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway (left) was there to wish him luck. At right is George H. Nevell, district master mechanic. Mr. Cork has been on the British Columbia coast as wiper, fireman and engineer since 1895 and in 1939 was assigned to the engine of the pilot train during the Royal visit. He is one of a number of well-known C.P.R. employees who went on pension at the end of March.

RCAF crash at Pierre today, joined the air force last after leaving Tabiel where he was a commissioned officer in the Private Naval Air Arm. He came from the R.A.F. group of French sailors and airmen who accompanied Governor C. De-Gaulle's French Colonials, who escaped from that place.

Bataille a native of Corsica was here three or four months before being transferred East.

## MANY NAMES ON CASUALTY LIST

### R.A.F. Announces 334 Killed And Missing, Including Five Canadians

LONDON, April 8 (CP)—Five Canadian airmen, three of them from Western Canada and three from Toronto and one from Moncton, N.B., were reported in the list of R.A.F. casualties issued today, which contains 334 names.

Following is the list of Canadians and next of kin:

Missing—Sergeant Peter G. Chandler, born in Toronto, J. A. Chandler, Moncton, N.B.

Wounded and injured in action—Acting Squadron Leader P. A. Gilchrist, D.F.C., born in Weyburn, Sask., mother, Mrs. Ethel Tarbet, 3 Ines in Port Pelli, Sask.

**PRESUMED DEAD**

Previously reported missing, now presumed killed in action, Flying Officer R. D. Soderstrom born in Wetaskiwin, Alta., father, Andrew Soderstrom, 435 Romaine Street, Moncton N.B.

Reported Canadian casualty now sent to England in 1927-28 studied engineering at the University of Reserve at the outbreak of war and was called for duty in January, 1940. Each month his parents learned that he had completed training and was awaiting assignment as a flying squadron. On March 11 they were advised their son was missing in air operations of the previous day.

Acting Squadron Leader Gilchrist was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross along with four other Canadians last May 31. The Air Ministry said that Gilchrist almost died almost great determination in saving and assisting the observer on missions at night over enemy territory.

**REPORTED MISSING**

Flying Officer Soderstrom was reported missing in a casualty list last July 18. Flight Lieut. Thornley and Pilot Officer Wilson were reported missing in casualty lists late June 21 and August 15 respectively.

The list was made up of twenty-five killed in action, 151 previously reported missing now presumed dead, reported killed in action, nine wounded or injured and reported died of wounds or injuries received in action, seven missing and believed killed in air operations, two wounds or injuries received on active service, twenty-two died on active service.

## *Chinese Reoccupy Captured City*

HONGKONG, April 8 (CP)—The Chinese Central News Agency reported today Chinese recapture of Shahsi, eighty-five miles from Hongkong, which the Japanese took March 24 after troop landings along the Kwangtung coast covered by warships.

The report said the Chinese reoccupation occurred Friday when Japanese, abandoning quantities of arms and supplies, fled back to their warships.

## THRILLED BY EXPERIENCE

### Photographer Given Chance To Guide Flying Fortress While in Flight

Drant Macdonald, who some years ago did press photography for local papers and is now public relations officer for Wide World Photos stationed at Seattle, had the interesting experience of feeling what it is like to handle a Boeing Flying Fortress on a trial flight recently. He tells about the flight in a letter and so substantial is the story enclosed an account published in a metropolitan paper over a home and resident in Alta. Flying Fortress No. 1.

I was up on a picture flight in one of the Boeing B-17-D's rated as the finest long-range army bomber in the world at present. I expected to be a routine picture taking flight, but when we got up in the air a Mr. the commanding officer turned out to be one well versed in art and asked me if I would like to fly it for awhile. Sounds rather familiar but it's all truth.

**TOOK OVER CONTROLS**

"Imagine my excitement when I got into the pilot's seat took over the controls of that huge aircraft and started to handle it by myself. It was great. For actually the big ship really ties itself. We cruised for about an hour at 200 miles an hour. Its per hop speed is far in excess of that. No one is allowed upon it for practice flights to say not just the three bullets will go, but I'm satisfied they can really burn up the sky.

"Yes, I had a few hours dual in a small training aeroplane one time. It was a kid's play to it. Once I got the controls worked. I put it through a couple of turns a bank or two, climbed it and dove it slightly, and then, for my service, I was handed it over to the skipper as the big ship was nearing its objective and I had to attend to my job of shooting pictures.

## *Directors Named To Take Care of Government Ships*

OTTAWA, April 8 (CP)—Appointment of six directors to the board of Wartime Merchant Shipping, Ltd., recently formed to administer the Canadian cargo shipbuilding programme, was announced today by Munitions Minister Howe.

President of the company is H R MacMillan, of Vancouver, formerly chairman of the Wartime Requirements Board.

Directors named today are:

R. A. Anstey, Toronto; Henry P. R. McNeil, Halifax; George C. McDonald, Montreal; James D. McKenna, Saint John, N.B.; Alfred H. Pereira, Montreal; Austin C. Taylor, Vancouver.

## FOUND HIMSELF ALONE ON SHIP

### Messboy Has Trying Ordeal After Vessel Is Torpedoed Second Time

GLASGOW, April 8 (CP)—Donald Morrison, seventeen-year-old messboy, who woke up in the middle of the night to find himself alone in the forecastle of a sinking ship of a torpedoed former sister and enlisted the story-book tale of his rescue.

He was in the company a crew of 100 and three passengers. When they landed in a lifeboat, however, they reported one casualty—Donald Morrison.

The youth was believed to have been killed by the explosion of a torpedo that struck the ship. The ship was in no immediate danger of sinking, however, so he went to his cabin and fallen asleep.

He was awakened by a terrible bang the youngster related after a rescue tug landed him at a northern port. It was somehow forgotten. I made my way to the deck and on a ship was listing so badly that I had to cling to an iron stanchion to keep my feet.

I couldn't see another soul on the ship. There was nothing else for me to do but go overboard and as I did so I caught a glimpse of three lifeboats in the distance.

**GRAZED HEAD**

"I grazed my head on a derrick as I dived," he added "and I was just about finished when I found a raft. Here I rested. Then I saw a lifeboat, which appeared to be empty. It was a long way off but there were a lot of rafts floating between me and the boat.

Morrison described how he swam from raft to raft until he could swim no more and the lifeboat seemed as far away as ever.

So he decided to lash on the raft and with some pieces of wood he built a small antenna to keep off the rising wind. Cold and exhaustion made him fall asleep, he said.

When he awakened the gale was stronger and after two hours he saw the smoke of a rescue tug. He tied his lifejacket to a long piece of wood and waved it in the wind. Within ten minutes of his waking the tug showed him his ordeal was at an end and soon he was bound for land.

## CLOSES ONE SHIP ROUTE

### Great Western and London Cancels Passenger Service for Safety Reasons

LONDON, April 8 (CP)—The Great Western and the London Midland & Scottish Railways disclosed today her land closed one passenger route and will attempt to keep the other open for reasons of safety.

An alternate route is in effect railway officers said after stating that the main route was closed yesterday. There also is a commercial air line connection between England and Ireland.

It had been announced earlier and erroneously that the Great Western operated all passenger sailings to Dublin.

Authoritative quarters declined comment. Informed sources however pointed out the Irish Sea had been practically mined for months.

Navigators will be required for all ships shipped to the Soviet Union, inquiries made the European zone Maritime Min. Dr. Ministry of Economic Warfare announced today.

The statement said navigators for British ships and certificates would be needed even if the goods were to be transhipped to the United Kingdom.

## *Chinese Recapture Nanchang*

CHUNGKING, April 8 (CP)—Chinese troops have recaptured Nanchang, capital of Kiangsi province, the Chinese High Command announced today.

Nanchang, 135 miles southwest of Kiukiang, was captured by the Japanese in March, 1938.

## SIGHT STRANGE SPEEDY VESSEL

### Officers of Philippine Liner Report Mysterious Craft In Mexican Waters

SAN PEDRO, Cal., April 8 (CP)—Captain Cornelio Nosquin, of the Philippine passenger and cargo ship Dona Aurelia, reported on arrival today the presence of a speedy, freighter off Mexico's west coast, but refused to answer radio messages or respond to warning whistles.

Nosquin said the craft was sighted at 8 p.m. April 2 about 1,100 miles south of Acapulco. She ran across the Dona Aurelia's bow refused to identify herself then disappeared. She flew no flag he declared additional.

When I put my night glasses on the vessel I saw it was apparently a freighter, but traveling low in the water and at a much faster speed than usual for such vessels."

He estimated her tonnage at 8,000 to 10,000 and the twenty passengers expressed the view she was a supply ship for Pacific raiders of a belligerent power.

**BRIGHT IDEA**

The Italian Admiral was not feeling well and remained in bed. He could not found it difficult to decide just what was wrong.

Suddenly the doctor's face brightened.

I know exactly what will put you on your feet again, Admiral, he said. "You must take a sea voyage."


# ODDMENTS
## On Sale This Morning

### ODDMENTS IN THE STAPLES DEPARTMENT

All Slightly Soiled or Sunsoaked
No Phone Orders, Please

| | |
|---|---|
| 10 Only, COLORED COMFORTER BATTS | 89c |
| 12 Only, TABLE OILCLOTH SQUARES | 50c |
| 14 Only, COTTON BLANKETS | $1.79 |
| 19 Only, KRINKLETTE BEDSPREADS | $1.00 |
| 14 Only, WHITE FLANNELETTE SHEETS | $1.59 |
| CHENILLE TABLE COVERS | 79c |
| PILLOW CASES | 95c |
| SCRU TAN BLANKETS | $1.39 |
| WHITE DAMASK CLOTHS | 49c |

### TOWELS AT SPECIAL PRICES

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| ODDMENTS OF TOWELS, TOWELING AND BATH MATS | 1 OFF |
| COTTON STRIPE TEA TOWELS | 19c |
| TURKISH TOWELS | 20c |
| MESH DISH CLOTHS | 2 15c |

Staples Main Floor

### SILKS AT SPECIAL PRICES

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| PRINTED CREPES | 79c |
| WASH SATINS | 65c |
| SHARKSKIN | $1.25 |

Silk Main Floor

### ODDMENTS IN THE BOYS' STORE

SPECIAL HALF-DAY VALUES

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| LONG PANTS | $1.69 |
| SHORT PANTS FOR BOYS | 79c |
| SHIRTS | 49c |
| BOYS COMBINATIONS | 39c |
| SWEATERS | 89c |

Boys' Store Arcade Building, Government Street

### Sample Pairs of Fine Quality RUFFLED CURTAINS

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| Regular, a Pair, | $1.50 |

Voiles, samples of nine finer grade Ruffled Curtains, 45 in. to 48 in. wide and 2½ yards long. Lovely ground colors and floral effects, including some extra large patterns. Pair complete with attached valance and tie backs.

Drapery, 2nd Floor

### Specials in the Chinaware Dept.

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| BEAN POTS, 1 pint size | 19c |
| BOWLS, in pink glass, ruffled paste | 9c |
| TUMBLERS, with etched bands | 6 29c |

Chinaware Lower Main Floor

### Bakery Specials for This Morning

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|---|---|---|---|
| RUSSIAN CAKES | FLOUR SCONES | LARGE SQUARES | |
| At | 18c | 9c | 24c |
| HOT CROSS BUNS | | 29c | 20c |
| PINEAPPLE FRUIT SLAB CAKES | | | 89c |

Bakery, Lower Main Floor

**DAVID SPENCER PHONE E 4141 LIMITED**

### THOUSAND CHILDREN ON CASUALTY LISTS

LONDON, April 8 (CP)—The Ministry of Home Security announced today 4,236 civilians were killed and 5,357 injured in air raids over Britain during March. In addition 1,300 children killed and 413 injured.

The ministry said 300 persons were killed and 400 injured in raids on the Liverpool area, March 12 and 13. Another 200 killed and 1,000 injured in the Clydeside - Glasgow region, March 13 and 14.

Casualty figures for the heavy raid on London, March 19, were not published.

# Why Use A "Sissy" Laxative?

Chamois constipation has to do with the action of large bowel. Unless the large bowel is thoroughly emptied from time to time you become a victim of stomach constipation and poisoning of the system which may result in colitis or other serious disease.

Mild or "sissy" laxatives merely cause a movement of the bowels without effecting a thorough cleansing of the colon or large bowel. For this reason you are misled into thinking that you are doing all you can to overcome a constipated and poisoned condition of the system when you take one of these "sissy" laxatives. Keep regular by using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills once or twice a week.